

WEATHER FORECAST

For 24 hours ending 5 p.m. Tuesday:
Victoria and vicinity—Moderate to fresh westerly wind, continued fine, not much change in temperature.
Lower Mainland—Continued fine, not much change in temperature.

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WHERE TO GO TO-NIGHT

Royal—Who Cares?
Princess—The Private Secretary.
Pantages—Vaudville.
Dominion—Come Out of the Kitchen.
Variety—War Brides.
Columbia—Tarzan of the Apes.
Romano—Some Liar.

EIGHTEEN PAGES

CITY WELCOMES VISITING EDITORS TO-DAY

BEEF PRICES SHOULD BE LOWERED, STATES COMMISSIONER McFALL

Drop in Wholesale Cost Should Be Followed By Reduction For the Consumers, He Declares; Increase in Buffer in Storage

Ottawa, Aug. 18.—It is time the public of Canada began to benefit from lower beef prices, in the opinion of Dr. McFall, the Cost-of-Living Commissioner, who has just made his last report to the Department of Labor before giving way to the new Board of Commerce. He points out that there has been a material drop in the wholesale price of beef and declares the consumers and retailers should see to it that this reduction is carried through to the retail price.

On August 1 there were approximately 1,250,000 pounds of butter in storage in Canada more than on August 1, 1918, according to the Commissioner. On August 1, 1919, there were 20,043,991 pounds of creamery, and 1,486,031 pounds of dairy butter held.

"Moreover," Dr. McFall reports, "from our winter's supply of last year, more than 6,000,000 pounds were commandeered from fall production, besides the large amount taken out of wholesale stocks for the British Ministry Food in the summer and early fall by the Canada Food Board."

Eggs.
Despite high egg prices this year, 18.62 per cent. more were placed in storage than during last year. On August 1 there were 12,444,971 dozen held, which was about the same as during the previous month.

Cheese.
The stocks of cheese showed an increase over those of the previous month, and an increase of 22.51 per cent. over the corresponding month a year ago. The total held amounted to 14,697,041 pounds, and the Commissioner comments that, now the British price has dropped for cheese, this leaves a large amount of good food that should be made available for Canadian consumption at reasonable prices.

Oleomargarine.
The stocks of oleomargarine show little change, there being 244,942 (Concluded on page 4.)

NEW YORK STRIKE CAUSES CONGESTION

Subway and Elevated Line Employees Idle; Business Dislocated

New York, Aug. 18.—More than 2,000,000 persons who ordinarily travel daily over the Interborough Rapid Transit Company's subway and elevated lines in Manhattan, New York, were fairly congested during the early morning hours. Thousands of jitneys and buses, operated by the city, filled beyond capacity with travelers, clogged the thoroughfares. Thousands fought in vain for standing room on each overloaded trolley car. Trolleys and other vehicles moved at a snail's pace. Residents on the outer fringes of the city were unable to reach their places of employment until many hours after their usual (Concluded on page 4.)

Worst on Record.
The stoppage of the main arteries of travel caused the worst traffic snarl in the history of the city. The narrow streets in downtown New York were fairly congested during the early morning hours. Thousands of jitneys and buses, operated by the city, filled beyond capacity with travelers, clogged the thoroughfares. Thousands fought in vain for standing room on each overloaded trolley car. Trolleys and other vehicles moved at a snail's pace. Residents on the outer fringes of the city were unable to reach their places of employment until many hours after their usual (Concluded on page 4.)

TORONTO-NEW YORK AEROPLANE CONTEST
New York, Aug. 18.—The War Department has authorized all available Government aeroplanes to compete in the 1,000-mile round-trip race between New York and Toronto, according to an announcement made here by the American Flying Club, under whose direction the contest is to be held. At least thirty American planes will be entered in the competition, which will start August 20.

CZECHO-SLOVAKS DEPART FROM ITALY

Rome, Aug. 18.—(Havas).—A contingent of the Czecho-Slovak forces that fought with the Italian army during the war began leaving Italy to-day for Bohemia.

HALIFAX GREETED PRINCE OF WALES

Enthusiastic Welcome Tendered During Procession To-day Through Streets

Addresses Presented by Provincial Government and City Council

Halifax, Aug. 18.—The Prince of Wales was given an enthusiastic welcome by the province of Nova Scotia when he left the dockyard here this morning and drove in procession through three miles of gaily-decorated streets lined with veterans of the great war to the Provincial Buildings, where he received and replied to addresses from the Province and City of Halifax.

His landing from the battle-cruiser Renown was made at 10 a. m. to the booming of a royal salute from the city. After a formal reception and inspection of the guard of honor supplied by the Royal Canadian Garrison Artillery, he proceeded to the Provincial Buildings, where he was presented with the addresses. Replying to the addresses, the Prince said his first visit to this city and province would remain in his memory. He paid high tribute to the part taken by the Canadians in the war.

Attended Service.
Halifax, Aug. 18.—The Prince of Wales attended divine service aboard the cruiser Dragon at 9 o'clock Sunday. (Concluded on page 15.)

MINIMUM INCOME FOR ALL PROPOSED

Henderson and Other British Labor Leaders Put Forward Plan

London, Aug. 18.—The latest thing in the labor programme of social reform in the United Kingdom is a proposed provision for a minimum income for every man, woman and child. Under the scheme, which is favored by Rt. Hon. Arthur Henderson, secretary of the Labor Party, and G. A. H. Cole, attached to the Research Department, twenty per cent. of all incomes would be nationalized at the source and paid into a pool, which would be devoted solely to the provision of a permanent weekly income of £2.25 to everybody. In this way, the sponsors of the plan say, it is hoped not merely to free the country from the future payment of old age pensions, but of most, if not all, of the national and private agencies for the distribution of relief.

Internationalism.
London, Aug. 18.—(Reuter's).—At the closing sitting of the National Federation of General Workers, held at Manchester, the executive was instructed to take steps with a view to the general workers of all countries being federated internationally. The general secretary is to proceed with the necessary preparations for calling together an international conference, to be held preferably in France or Belgium.

GEN. SIR ARTHUR CURRIE IS WELCOMED AT OTTAWA

Ottawa, Aug. 18.—Ottawa will officially welcome Lieut.-General Sir Arthur Currie on his return to the capital to-day. In the absence of the Prime Minister, General Currie will be met at his train at 4 o'clock in the afternoon by Sir George Foster, Acting Prime Minister; Major-General Newburn, Minister of Militia; Major Fisher and other military and civic officials. A guard of honor from the Governor-General's Footguards will meet the train, and that regiment's band also will be at the station. At 4.30 the official reception will take place on Parliament Hill. Arrival at Halifax. Halifax, Aug. 18.—Lieut.-General Sir Arthur Currie arrived here yesterday on the Cunard liner Caronia. He was met by military, naval and city officials. At the railroad station, General Currie was presented with an address of welcome on behalf of the citizens of Halifax. This was ac-

Presided at Editorial Convention



CONGRESSMAN GUY U. HARDY

PURCHASE OF COAL RIGHTS BRITISH GOVERNMENT PLAN

London, Aug. 18.—The British Government has accepted the policy of state purchase of mineral rights in coal. This announcement was made by Mr. Lloyd George in the House of Commons to-day.

In discussing the financial and industrial situation, the Prime Minister said there was an alarming trade balance against the United Kingdom of £800,000,000, which threatened to increase. He announced that import restrictions would be removed September 1.

He was pessimistic concerning the financial future of the country unless consumption should be decreased and production increased. Under present conditions, he said, it was impossible to compete with American imports in the United Kingdom. Penalties cost the Government £100,000,000 yearly.

Expenditures.
Private expenditure in the aggregate, the Prime Minister said, was more formidable than the public expenditure. One way of meeting the increase in expenditure was to increase production, but the output was now less in everything except agriculture.

He declared that if the country should continue in the way in which it was going at present the adverse trade balance would reach £1,000,000,000, compared with £150,000,000 before the war.

"We can not prosper," Mr. Lloyd George said, "we can not even exist" (Concluded on page 15.)

MEXICANS OBTAIN RANSOM FROM U. S.

\$15,000 Paid to Secure Release of American Army Aviators

Marfa, Tex., Aug. 18.—Authorization for the payment of the ransom of \$15,000 asked by Mexican bandits for the release of Lieuts. Paul H. Davis and Harold G. Peterson, American army aviators, was received here to-day, and the money probably will be delivered late to-day to an agent of the bandits at or near Candelaria, Texas. It was announced here.

The American aviators are being held somewhere in Mexico south of Candelaria. Quick Action. Washington, Aug. 18.—The American Embassy at Mexico City was instructed to-day by the State Department immediately to call upon the Mexican Government for quick action to effect the release of Lieuts. Paul H. Davis and Harold G. Peterson, American army aviators, who were captured by Mexican bandits near Candelaria, Texas, while patrolling the border and who are threatened with death unless a ransom of \$15,000 is paid to-day.

The State Department's communication points out the seriousness with which the United States views this situation and called for immediate adequate action.

The American consul at Juarez also was instructed to take adequate action.

The American consul at Juarez also was instructed to take all possible (Concluded on page 4.)

BONDS OF FRIENDSHIP WILL BE GREATLY STRENGTHENED BY VISIT OF PROMINENT AMERICAN WRITERS

MANY CITIES WANT CONVENTION IN 1920

Invitations to hold its next convention in the following cities have been received by the National Editorial Convention and its associated committee which will report to-morrow morning: St. Louis, Chicago, Boston, New York, Ashbury Park, N. J.; San Francisco, Minneapolis, Columbus, Milwaukee, Detroit and Park Grove, North Carolina. Boston is regarded as the probable choice.

HARVEY INGHAM ON NATIONAL ISSUES

Well-known Journalist Compares Development of Canada With U. S.

A prominent member of the party who is visiting Victoria with the National Editorial Association is Harvey Ingham, Editor-in-Chief of the Register and Evening Tribune, of Des Moines, one of the most influential journals in the State of Iowa. Mr. Ingham is a well-known figure in American journalism and unusual interest attaches to his views on the relations between the two great English speaking countries from the fact that he has a wide and accurate knowledge of British and Canadian affairs and conditions and discusses them in a sympathetic and broad-minded way. When seen by a Times representative this morning Mr. Ingham said:

"As we have crossed Western Canada I have been reminded most of all of a remark Newell Dwight Hillis made some years before the war. He predicted that within 25 years Canada would become the seat of the British Empire.

"That may not happen soon, and may not happen ever. But Canada within 25 years will be one of the greatest commercial empires of the world."

"I was over Western Canada some eleven years ago. Measuring the next twenty-five years by the changes I note, and making no account of the tremendous impulse the war is bound to give to the Western movement, it is easy to see that Canada in that time will rival in wealth and in people as it now rivals in natural resources and extent of territory.

"The visit of the editors from the States is, of course, a pleasure trip. But in this instance it is much more than that. Our purpose is not merely to have a vacation and enjoy scenery but to have a vacation in Canada and enjoy Canadian scenery. If you catch the distinction you will discover the underlying impulse of all Americans at this time. If we have one purpose above another in the States to-day it is to keep our boundary lines on this continent what they have been thus far, bonds of union rather than lines of division. Doctor MacDonald, of Toronto, has declared the three thousand miles between Canada and the United States, without a soldier or a fort, to be the greatest achievement of the Western world. It is the purpose of our American editors not to (Concluded on page 4.)

SITUATION IN HUNGARY IS DISCUSSED BY PARIS COUNCIL

Paris, Aug. 18.—The Hungarian situation will be discussed by the Supreme Council of the Peace Conference at its meeting to-day. Rt. Hon. A. J. Balfour, the British Foreign Secretary, who visited battlefields of France over Saturday and Sunday with Signor Tittoni, the Italian Foreign Minister, and Frank Polk, the head of the American delegation, returned to Paris this morning.

Budapest, Aug. 18.—Four Hungarian monitors with British crews have arrived here. The monitors carry five-inch guns and are under the command of Vice-Admiral Ernest Troubridge.

King Ferdinand of Roumania, according to reports from reliable quarters, paid a visit to Budapest last week incognito.

Ex-Archduke Joseph, head of the Hungarian state, denied that he received a letter from Former Emperor Charles, as charged in dispatches from Budapest to Berlin newspapers. The letter, it was alleged, ordered the ex-Archduke to take over the power in Hungary and thanked him for his services to the Hapsburg dynasty.

Premier Oliver in Welcoming National Editorial Convention Referred to Century of Peace Between Canada and the United States

Immediately after the Seattle Press Club had shaken hands and said "good-bye" to the members of the National Editorial Association at the Grand Trunk Pacific docks in Seattle yesterday afternoon the reception committee from Victoria extended the glad hand of welcome to the "city of sunshine." Busy scenes followed. There was the hustle of embarkation on the steamer Prince George, which conveyed the merry party across the Sound, the subsequent anxious questions as to whether there would be sufficient accommodation in the hotels, and on being assured that everyone would be comfortably cared for, all took to the enjoyment of the sea trip. Some assembled in the spacious saloon to an impromptu concert, many conversed with representatives from Victoria and remarked that, judging by the coupon booklet, the desire of the people here was to keep them continuously on the move, while others sought more secluded spots to write their daily contributions to their papers.

On arriving here at 11.45 o'clock the party was quickly despatched to the various hotels in which accommodation had been reserved.

Ever since the convention commenced its memorable trip it has been royally entertained and some of the members thought that they would collapse under the strain before they had proceeded far, but they seemed to have adapted themselves remarkably and are now prepared for anything. Everyone was astir early this morning, as they were due to be present at the Parliament Buildings at 9 o'clock to receive the official welcome.

Shortly after the appointed hour the members mounted the steps to the main entrance of the buildings and took seats in the Legislative Assembly. B. C. Nicholas, Editor of The Times, acted as chairman and announced that, as the convention had a very heavy business session scheduled, the addresses would be very short. He introduced the speakers, who were heartily applauded and listened to with marked interest and appreciation.

Mr. Oliver's Welcome.
The address of welcome extended the delegates by the Premier of the province. Hon. John Oliver, who couched in the most warm-hearted and friendly terms and greatly impressed the visitors. He commented upon the sincere relationships which existed between Canada and the United States and hoped that the years to come would witness the closer welding of those ties which were of inestimable value to the successful development of two countries which had so much in common.

The Premier expressed great pleasure at being able to extend to such an important and most warmly welcome to the province which he considered, was the finest and most profitable in Canada and which he thought, equalled any of the States in the union to the south. "I think you will agree with me," said the Premier, that the events of (Concluded on page 5.)

W. Hohenzollern Has Bought Estate In Holland, Says Report

Utrecht, Holland, Aug. 18.—Wilhelm Hohenzollern, former Kaiser of Germany, living at Amerongen since his arrival in Holland, has purchased from Baroness de Beaufort the estate and house of Doorn in the village of Doorn, near Utrecht, according to The Dagblad. The estate is about five miles north of Amerongen in the direction of Utrecht.

EXPULSED FROM PARTY

London, Aug. 18.—(Reuter's).—The Australian Labor Party has expelled everyone who participated in forming the new extremist Australian Socialist Party.

ROUTES OF CITIZENS ROUT BOLSHIEVSKI

Reported to Have Driven Red Troops Out of City

London, Aug. 18.—The Bolsheviks have been driven from Odessa by the populace of the city, according to reports received by the War Office here. It is reported also the Soviet forces are evacuating Kiev and the entire Ukraine. A decree declaring Admiral Kolchak and the All-Russian Cabinet at Omsk to be outlaws has been issued by the Soviet Government, according to the Tass news agency from Moscow. The admiral and the officers commanding the forces of his Government in Siberia are declared to be subject to immediate arrest.

WAGES OF AMERICAN RAILROAD SHOPMEN

Washington, Aug. 18.—The Railroad Administration was notified to-day that the strike of railroad shopmen was at an end and was asked to take up wage demands immediately.

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MR. CALDER TO SPEAK FOR TOLMIE

Maclean Probably Will Represent Drayton at Forthcoming Session

Ottawa, Aug. 18.—Further Cabinet reconstruction, it is believed here, is likely to be deferred for some time, owing to the unavoidable delay which must occur in connection with the holding of the bye-elections under the provisions of the special Act passed last session.

With Sir Henry Drayton, Minister of Finance, and Hon. S. F. Tolmie, Minister of Agriculture, unable to take their seats at the forthcoming special session of Parliament and the Ministers in the Senate, the number of Ministers available to attend to business in the House will not be large. Should a successor to Hon. F. B. Carvell, former Minister of Public Works, be named, he would be in the same position as the Ministers of Finance and Agriculture.

In all probability Hon. A. K. Maclean will be the spokesman for the Minister of Finance in the House, while Hon. J. A. Calder will represent the Minister of Agriculture.

The postponement of the bye-elections to a date subsequent to the prorogation of Parliament is now regarded as practically certain.

Cost of Living.—The rescinding of the Order-in-Council appointing Dr. R. J. McFall as Cost-of-Living Commissioner, as intimated in the initial order issued by the new Board of Commerce last week, means the exit of Dr. McFall and the taking over by the new Board of all matters relating to the cost of living, regulations of profits, etc. In the first order issued by the Board, notice was given that reports, which up to the present time have been sent to the Cost-of-Living Commissioner, must in future be addressed to the Board of Commerce, which is being organized for its activities as quickly as possible.

When Dr. McFall succeeded W. F. O'Connor as Cost-of-Living Commissioner, he was an official of the Department of Trade and Commerce and the probability is that he will continue to remain in the Government's service. Matters in regard

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to which Dr. McFall has recently issued reports will be dealt with by the new Board.

ROYAL MARRIAGE MAY BE ARRANGED

Prince Leopold of Belgium May Marry Princess Yolande of Italy

Rome, Aug. 18.—Foreign Minister Tittoni has invited the King and Queen of Belgium to visit Rome, according to a report published by a news agency here. It is hinted that closer ties one day probably will unite the Italian and Belgian thrones.

Opportunity for inter-marriage among European royal families have lessened considerably in the past few years. One of the remaining possibilities is in the ruling families of Italy and Belgium, both Roman Catholic countries. Prince Leopold, the heir to the Belgian throne, is eighteen years old. Princess Yolande, eldest daughter of King Emmanuel and Queen Helena of Italy, also is eighteen years old. Another daughter, Princess Magda, was born in 1902.

Women as Brave As the Men

THEIR STRUGGLE SHOWS A REMARKABLE SPIRIT.

Talk of the bravery of men, but where can you find a finer spirit than among the half-sick women who are fighting and struggling to do their duty against the terrible odds of ill-health, and who will not give up.

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AMERICAN WANTED MONOPOLY IN FRANCE

Paris, Aug. 18.—(Havas).—An American capitalist, newspapers here say, offered to give the French Government an annual royalty of \$1,000,000,000 francs for the tobacco monopoly. Although this offer was 200,000,000 francs above the returns to the Government from the monopoly, the Ministry of Finance refused it.

TWO DROWNED

Winnipeg, Aug. 18.—A double drowning accident occurred at Grand Beach, one of Winnipeg's lake resorts, Sunday evening, when George Lynch, only recently returned from overseas after four years' service, and Jack Waters, a young married man, were carried beyond their depth by a strong undercurrent. Waters, leaves a widow and two young children, the eldest aged three years and the other seven months.

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ARE DEALING WITH DELAYED MAIL NOW

British Are Disposing of Mail Detained During the War

London, Aug. 18.—The forwarding of mail detained during the war by the Postal Censor will be completed on August 30, the War Office announces. The mail was held because its transmission would have assisted the German army and navy plans, increased the commercial and financial resources of the enemy or aided the far-reaching German political and commercial propaganda commission.

The handing over of this delayed matter began on June 25. It is estimated that 630,000,000 pieces of mail were examined during the war and that 1,300,000 were detained, of which 522,500 have been released recently.

'United States'

Approximately 150,000 pieces of mail seized originated in the United States or were going to the United States when they reached the Censor's hands. Of the remaining matter, that originating in or destined for the United Kingdom will be destroyed except the letters or packages containing articles of value or documents which will be released.

In regard to mails routed through the United Kingdom to and from foreign countries and mails landed from neutral ships, which entered British territorial waters, it has been decided that pieces containing goods, currency, securities and other valuable financial papers will be put into the prize court. Commercial and private correspondence containing valuable documents will be released. Other private correspondence will be destroyed because of the great cost of re-examination.

LT.-COL. E. C. HART BACK IN CANADA

Arrived at Portland, Maine, Yesterday; Maj. Wilcox and Maj. Borah Coming

Portland, Maine, Aug. 18.—The Canadian hospital ship Araguay yesterday completed her last voyage with wounded Canadian soldiers, bringing here 583, of whom 63 are cut cases.

The Araguay also brought Lieut.-Colonel E. C. Hart, Victoria, B. C., who served as Assistant Director of Medical Corps at Liverpool, and twenty-two officers of the Canadian Medical Corps, returning from Europe preparatory to receiving their discharge.

The largest number of patients entrained for the Pacific Coast. Four carloads left for the Maritime Provinces.

The list of wounded British Columbia officers follows: Lieut. R. J. Pearson, Vancouver; Lieut. G. L. Peck, New Westminster, and Nursing Sister S. N. Kier, Vancouver.

Canadian Medical Corps—Lieut.-Colonel E. C. Hart, Victoria; Captain J. S. Gladwin, Vancouver, and Captain S. Ross, Vancouver.

Tunisian

London, Aug. 18.—The S.S. Tunisian is on her way to Quebec carrying forty officers, two nurses from London and 216 men from Buxton.

Among the officers are Majors B. A. Wilcox and S. E. Borah, Victoria. The Melita is on her way to Quebec, carrying 262 men of the ranks from Buxton with the dependents, 610 wives and 155 children. The officers include Sir Richard and Lady Taylor and family; Lieut.-Colonel T. V. Anderson, commanding the Engineer reserves; J. Bridges Adams, C. K. Gibson and E. V. Pope.

Coronia

Halifax, Aug. 18.—The Cunard liner Coronaria arrived here Sunday with about 3,000 returning troops. Many of the men were imperials demobilized in England and repatriated to this country. She also had a large number of Royal Air Force men. For the first time in a long while no hand was present with music for the soldiers, a fact that some of the men commented on with a little bitterness.

WINNIPEG STRIKERS AND BAIL QUESTION

Winnipeg, Aug. 18.—At a labor meeting held under the auspices of the Labor Church in the convention hall of the Board of Trade Building here yesterday, a resolution was unanimously passed by a standing vote condemning what was described as gross discrimination shown in the refusal of bail to the eight strike leaders and demanding their immediate release on reasonable and conditional bail.

There were between 1,500 and 2,000 persons present and none stood up in opposition when the chairman, T. J. Watts, called upon those against to declare themselves, and the resolution was announced carried unanimously, amidst loud applause. There followed criticism of the refusal of bail by Rev. Salem G. Bland and J. S. Woodsworth.

COST OF LIVING STILL MOUNTS UP

Ottawa, Aug. 18.—The cost of living in Canada scored another advance during the month of July, according to the current issue of The Labor Gazette. The average cost of a list of twenty-nine staple foods in some sixty cities at the middle of the month was slightly higher, being \$13.77 as compared with \$13.72 in June, \$13 in July, 1918, and \$12.42 in July, 1914. There was little change in fuel and rents.

PROFITEERING BILL GREATLY CHANGED

Not What It Was When Introduced in British Commons

London, Aug. 18.—Parliament will adjourn to-morrow until October 22. The profiteering bill, which has now passed through the Commons, is admittedly altered beyond all recognition and The Times says that many of its provisions are incomprehensible to even the most zealous member.

The Government has decided against the nationalization of the coal mines, The Times adds.

'Direct Action'

London, Aug. 18.—(Reuter's).—John R. Clyne, former Food Controller, in an address to the National Federation of General Workers at Manchester, said the policy of "direct action" was misnamed because if adopted it would merely bring them after enormous loss to the point where they had begun. The members of the Federation would have most to lose and least to gain from a movement which would divert the industrial energies of the organized workers at Manchester, modelling political or economic conditions of Russia or elsewhere. To strike for a vague, ill-defined or alien purpose would be to squander the resources of the workers without permitting industrial improvement.

A Memorial

London, Aug. 18.—(Reuter's).—Great efforts are being made in connection with the memorial to freedom and peace which the National Labor Party proposes to erect in London in commemoration of the killed, wounded and incapacitated soldiers. Circulars are being issued to trades unionists everywhere throughout the British Isles urging early attention to this matter in view of the fact that the enterprise is proposed to create worthy headquarters for labor, which will provide suitable conference and office accommodations, a well stocked library, etc. It is hoped to begin building operations early next year.

CATTLE BARRED

Ottawa, Aug. 18.—A cable was received from the High Commissioner in London recently to the effect that an outbreak of foot and mouth disease had occurred near Kingsbury, Warwickshire.

In view of this the Dominion Department of Agriculture has cancelled all outstanding permits for the importation of cattle, sheep, other ruminants and swine from the United Kingdom for an indefinite period.

AEROPLANE DAMAGED

Halifax, Aug. 18.—After making a cross-country flight from Truro, a distance of sixty miles, in forty-five minutes, an aeroplane piloted by Capt. J. V. Stephens, R.A.F., and Lieut. Barnhill, R.A.F., and under contract to deliver copies of a new weekly paper to mayors of various towns of the province, collided with an automobile while attempting an ascent here and was badly damaged. The flight will be resumed upon the arrival of new parts for the aeroplane.

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WELCOME, THE EDITORS.

Exceptional interest lies in the visit of the National Editorial Association to Victoria because our city is the scene of the most important session, perhaps, of the annual convention of this notable organization. The Association has been in existence for many years; it has been making annual pilgrimages for more than three decades to its various meeting-places in its own great country, but this is the first time it has held a convention or any part of it on other than United States soil. The session which is being held, therefore, is of historic interest and Victoria appreciates the action of the Association in selecting it as the scene of the new departure. Victoria cordially welcomes the Association and hopes it will not only have a profitable and enjoyable time during its stay in the city, but that its members will carry away from Canada impressions which will tend to strengthen the friendly relations existing between the two branches of the English-speaking race.

THE FUTURE OF THE P. G. E.

Apparently the Dominion Government is well on the way to the opinion that its acquisition of the Pacific Great Eastern Railway system would mean considerable assistance to its own road in this Province. Premier Oliver has been in favor of transferring the road to the nation ever since a combination of circumstances compelled this Province to take it over and operate it more than a year ago. It has now been arranged that both the Dominion and the Province will send their respective representatives over the line in order that an exhaustive investigation from every standpoint may be afforded.

Whatever may be the advantage or disadvantage of national ownership it goes without saying that no Province in the Dominion is in a position to go into the railway business for itself. As far as British Columbia is concerned it has its special domestic problems and the day is far distant when the P. G. E., as a purely provincial enterprise standing alone against effective competition, could be counted an asset to the Province as a whole. To make it pay at all it must be completed to its originally planned destination, and the quicker it is made to tap the northern country the sooner will it fulfill its primary mission as an aid to agricultural expansion in a section of the Province which cannot go ahead without it. This done, however, the line may still be a liability.

On the other hand its acquisition by the Dominion, with its larger financial resources, should convert it into a profitable partner in an ultimate triple system of Government-owned lines in British Columbia. With the C. N. R., the G. T. P. and the P. G. E. in the hands of the Government there should be some prospect of the combination giving a return for the enormous outlays which have marked their existence so far.

BRITAIN'S TRADE BALANCE.

It will be difficult, of course, for the British student of international commerce to extract very much consolation from the July returns just issued by the Board of Trade. According to a recent dispatch from London imports for that month are given a value of \$153,140,032 and exports show a value of \$65,315,422. The serious adverse balance against Great Britain for July, however, is partly explained by the fact that there were large increases in the amount of imports composed of foods, drink and tobacco, while wood, timber and cotton were also heavy.

Notwithstanding the apparent falling off from the previous month the dispatch makes mention of the fact that the largest increases in the export figures were in coal, coke and manufactured fuel. In June, exports amounted to \$77,000,000 and imports \$124,000,000, or a proportion of exports to imports of sixty-one per cent. It may be gathered, therefore, from the July figures that Britain's coal markets abroad are of a brighter appearance than was supposed to be the case, although there is a great leeway yet to be made up.

It is significant to note that in May of the present year the value of coal and manufactured fuel exported amounted to practically double the figures of those exported in June before the war. Enhanced values, of course, would bring tonnage on a fairly level basis; but with a very decided advance in July it may be taken for granted that the shorter hours now worked in the mines of Britain have made but little difference to out-

put when compared with pre-war day production. This should augur well for a gradual recovery of markets temporarily lost to other coal exporters.

LANSBURY BEING WORKED.

According to The Daily Herald, Britain's official labor organ, the British Government is organizing a sinister plot against labor and is conducting systematic spying activities on the action of the workers. To lend color to the charge The Herald connects with the alleged movement recent official reports of Bolshevik conspiracies as part of the Government's scheme.

This is an extremely novel attitude for The Herald to take and it is all the more puzzling when one associates its editor with so wild an assertion. Mr. George Lansbury may be an extremist, even completely swayed to the Bolshevik school of thought and action; but he is a man of experience in British parliamentary life first of all. He knows perfectly well that the idea of a Government plot against labor is just about the last thing that Mr. Lloyd George would countenance. It may be that the British Prime Minister occasionally has allowed political expediency to cause him to compromise with his Conservative supporters. But Mr. Lansbury knows better than The Herald's charge would seem to imply.

If it were not for the somewhat chequered career of The Herald the charge might be regarded with a certain amount of concern by the uninitiated. But as long as that newspaper continues to receive its financial support from various doubtful sources little credence need be given to its allegations. If it desires to serve labor the sooner it shakes off some of its affiliations and decides it can do without aid from such persons as Mrs. Besant and others of that ilk, the more hope it should have of being taken seriously.

ABSENTEE PRE-EMPTORS.

Our northern contemporary, Interior News, complains bitterly that at least eighty-five apparent owners of pre-emptions in the Kispix Valley have not been seen for many years and that progress in the district generally has suffered in consequence. It very rightly argues that nobody should be allowed to hinder agricultural development when there are a number of settlers of the right type seeking land to farm. The News points out, too, that nearly all the new people are anxious to get a quarter section with such improvements as will insure a fairly quick start. The lack of this, however, has had the effect of appointing many who would have contributed their energy towards profitable expansion.

We agree that good land held out of production is an offence against the Province and we would remind our northern contemporary that the conditions existing in Kispix Valley are by no means uncommon. Other sections of the Province are still suffering from the effects of a system which the recent amendments to the Land Settlement and Development Act seek to correct. It will be understood, nevertheless, that some time must elapse before the Land Settlement Board can undertake to bring its compulsory production or purchase machinery to bear on all the idle pre-empted lands of the Province. In the meantime it would be a good plan to discover the intentions of the eighty-five absentee pre-emptors.

BAGGAGE—THE VACATION PROBLEM.

(From The Brooklyn Eagle.)

The inevitable is not hurt by sneers, not shaken by profanity. It may be dodged by foresight. The inability of the railroads under Government management and with the passenger transportation involved in the demobilization of millions of men loading them down, to handle ordinary passenger baggage in such a way as to meet public convenience, is one phase of the inevitable. What follows? If you are going on a vacation, and not using a motor car in which you can carry what you like, avoid the big Saratoga trunk as a matter of course, and all trunks so far as you can. Use hand baggage as the lesser inconvenience. And do not check a valise in a moment of forgetfulness. After all, the vacation that depends on wardrobe, even for a woman, is not the best sort of a vacation. Our girls are learning this in their gradual turning to the charms of life in the open. No one is too old to learn it. But whether you are backward or not, don't figure on getting the trunk you check at any particular time. On the way from this city to the Adirondacks it may have gone to Chicago. That depends on the convenience of the railroad, not on yours, and as the world grows more and more the individual simply has to wince. Tennyson never thought of checked baggage in that connection, but the best poetry has a range and significance far beyond the purpose of the poet.

WINDJAMMERS.

(London Standard.)

The recent arrival in the Thames of the famous old clipper Cutty Sark has aroused a considerable amount of interest, and several letters have since appeared in The Daily Express from those who remember this masterpiece of the shipbuilder's art in the days of her past glory.

The average steamship passenger, who imagines that sailing about the world in a windjammer is a very slow business, would probably be surprised to know that Cutty Sark in 1873 sailed from London to Sydney (N. S. W.) in 63 days; while as late as 1890 she covered the distance of 3,737 miles between the Cape of Good Hope and Cape Leeuwin in 12 days, averaging about 12 miles an hour, a speed not to be despised by the skipper of many modern cargo steamers.

Cutty Sark's most formidable rival was the Aberdeen White Star liner Thermopylae, famous ship of a famous fleet and probably the most beautiful vessel that ever sailed under the Red Ensign. In 1888 she sailed from London to Melbourne in 63 days, but her whole career under the Aberdeen flag stands out as a monument to the skill of her builders and to the superb seamanship of those who officered and manned her.

In these days of 50,000 ton liners, equipped with verandah cafes, swimming baths and gymnasiums, it is some consolation to know that the British deepwater sailing ship is not quite extinct. Perhaps the best known windjammers afloat at the present time are those owned by the Shire Line, of Glasgow.

GEN. SIR ARTHUR CURRIE IS WELCOMED AT OTTAWA

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Cheers Given.
General Currie carefully inspected the guard of honor and following this the presentation took place. The Lady Currie a handsome bouquet and cheers were given for Sir Arthur and Lady Currie. The address to him was replied to by the general in a brief speech, in which he displayed considerable emotion. His voice broke as he spoke of his pleasure in being welcomed to Ottawa and he would be glad to renew old friendships and comradeships.

Address.
The address to General Currie was as follows:
"To Lieut.-General Sir Arthur Currie, G.C.M.G., K.C.B., Command-in-Chief Canadian Army Corps:
"Sir—

"On behalf of the Corporation and the citizens of the City of Halifax and expressing the sentiment of the Province of Nova Scotia and the whole Canadian public, we extend to you the warmest welcome on your victorious return to the shores of our Dominion.
"Our country counts itself happy in having secured among its own citizens one so eminently qualified for the highest position of command in the Canadian Corps, previously held by British officers of distinguished merit.

A Fine Leader.
"Enormous as were the responsibilities of your post they were bravely and skilfully borne, and we congratulate you on securing alike the affection and confidence of your officers, the loyalty of your soldiers and the admiration of the whole body of your fellow-citizens at home.

"As a step by step you were promoted to positions of increasing responsibility, you never lost sympathy nor regard for the man in the ranks, and your skilful happy faculty of stimulating the power of initiative, both in officers and men, was no small factor in securing the reputation that our brave Canadians achieved overseas.

"We congratulate you on the recognition you have received from His Majesty, the King, and from such soldiers as Marshal Foch and Field-Marshal Sir Douglas Haig. We extend our felicitations to Lady Currie, and we ask you to accept the accompanying gift as a memento of the community which first had the honor of welcoming you to Canada on your return from overseas.

(Signed)
"L. Fred Monaghan, City Clerk.
"J. S. Parker, Mayor."

In his reply to the address, General Currie said it was hard to find words adequately to thank the citizens of Halifax for their kindness. Of one thing he was sure, the home in Canada, he would be able to renew the associations and comradeships of four years of war. These could never be forgotten.

Prizes Gift.
He would always prize this gift from Halifax, for one reason, because it was the first tangible token of appreciation of the Canadian Corps.

No city he knew of had a better knowledge of the Corps than Halifax—none perhaps knew it so well. To no units in the Corps had he ever even looked with more confidence than the Royal Canadian Regiment, and the 25th. One of the latter battalions of which he was always proud of was the 85th, of which Lieut.-Colonel Borden was the first officer commanding, and which was so long commanded by Lieut.-Colonel Ralston—one of the very best of Canada's soldiers. The artillery no less had done its great work in a magnificent way. He hoped some day to go back to Halifax and he believed it would not require a war to bring him there.

BEEF PRICES SHOULD BE LOWERED, STATES COMMISSIONER McFALL

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pounds, or about one-third of a month's requirements.

Beef.
Coming to beef, the Commissioner reports:
"There has been a material drop in the wholesale price of beef. The consumers and retailers should see to it that this is carried on to the consumer's price."

The stocks of beef on August 1, the report says, totalled 20,014,417 pounds, which was about one-third of the greatest amount recorded as being in storage in Canada at any time during the past two years.

Pork.
The total stocks of pork on hand amounted to 39,467,704 pounds, which was about the average carried for two years.

Mutton and lamb stocks, 1,191,121 pounds, show a decrease of 25.9 per cent from the holdings one month previous, and 45.73 per cent. less than the year previous.

Poultry.
Poultry in storage amounted to 1,201,304 pounds, which was 27.84 per cent. less than the previous month, but 24.42 per cent. more than a year ago.

There were 21,044,744 pounds of fish in cold storage, and 3,587,743 pounds held otherwise than in cold storage.

Seven firms are reported as having failed to send in their inventory statements for the month.

In the States.
Washington, Aug. 18.—Parcel post sales of the vast supply of foodstuffs which the War Department is putting on the market was inaugurated to-day with every postmaster in the country furnished with a price list from which the consumers may order. Individuals will order directly from their postmaster.

Board of Commerce.

Ottawa, Aug. 18.—Judge Robson, chairman of the new Board of Commerce, has returned to Winnipeg to complete his labors in connection with the inquiry he has been conducting into the general strike in that city. He is not expected to return to the capital for ten or twelve days.

During Judge Robson's absence, W. P. O'Connor will proceed with the preliminary work in connection with the organization of the Board.

Captain William White, secretary of the Board, will commence his duties on Wednesday. Correspondence and reports already have commenced to pour in, and the prospects are that

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when the organization is completed there will be plenty of work for it to do.

Quarters Secured.
Quarters have been secured in the Robinson Block, in the central part of the city, where, in addition to the necessary offices for the members of the Board and staff, a chamber for the hearing of cases will be provided. The third member of the Board will be named this week. For this post the name of J. A. Beaudry, of Montreal, is still being prominently mentioned.

MEXICANS OBTAIN RANSOM FROM STATES

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steps with the Mexican authorities there to secure release and protection of the company's property and endeavor to control the tide of humanity sweeping through the streets. Notwithstanding the confusion, there was but little disorder, and the crowds, as a whole, appeared to take their inconvenience good-naturedly.

NEW YORK STRIKE CAUSES CONGESTION

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time and business in New York was crippled in consequence.

The New York Central Railway operated twenty-six extra trains and ten cars each between Hudson and Harlem River points to the Grand Central Station. The 60,000 extra passengers carried on these trains in addition to the regular traffic, caused an unprecedented congestion at the great terminal.

Ferries.
Fleets of ferries and other craft were pressed hurriedly into service on the North and East Rivers, carrying passengers between the upper and lower end of Manhattan Island for the first time in many years.

More than 6,000 policemen guarded the company's property and endeavored to control the tide of humanity sweeping through the streets. Notwithstanding the confusion, there was but little disorder, and the crowds, as a whole, appeared to take their inconvenience good-naturedly.

Conference.
An effort to reach an agreement between the Interborough officials and the strike leaders will be made this afternoon at a conference with Public Utilities Commissioner Nixon.

Mr. Nixon expressed the hope that a compromise might be effected, basing his hope on a statement attributed to President Connolly, of the Brotherhood, that although the men had made demands for an increase of fifty per cent. in wages, the strike would not have been called had the company offered a raise of twenty per cent. In the unsuccessful negotiations last week a ten per cent increase was offered.

IMPERIAL COUNCIL OF GERMANY MEETS

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the empire's foreign policy, bear responsibility for the Cabinet, and in case of a vote in the Ministry, will have the deciding ballot. The Reichstag is given the right to impeach the President, the chancellor and the Ministers.

One Vote Each.

The Imperial Council will be composed of representatives of the individual states, which will have at least one vote each.

Provision is made for a budget system, and the Reichstag can not raise the amount of the budget without reaching an agreement with the Council. Imperial postal and telegraphic rates will be determined by the Council, and the railroad systems will be taken over by the empire and states.

All Equal.

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All citizens of Germany shall enjoy complete freedom of belief and conscience.

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HARVEY INGHAM ON NATIONAL ISSUES

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"But getting back to the editors and their Canadian visit, I can assure you that we have all been impressed more

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ter's)—Hitherto Tasmania has been free of the pneumonic influenza, but the disease is now prevalent. Schools have been closed.

WHEAT FOR BRITAIN

Melbourne, Aug. 18.—The Imperial Government has intimated its intention to exercise its option on 500,000 tons of wheat.

INFLUENZA IN TASMANIA

Hobart, Tasmania, Aug. 18 (Reu-)

MACKENZIE RIVER BASIN IS THEME OF NEW BULLETIN

Wonderful Story of Unexplored North Told in Geological Survey Memoir

At a time when the average householder is anticipating a heavy burden for fuel in the coming winter, more pressing than even the high prices of recent years, it should be some satisfaction to learn that somewhere in Canada fuel is so plentiful and abundant that the fires are never extinguished. Nature, ever prolific in its gifts, is responsible for this phenomenon. The place is at Norman, on the east bank of the Mackenzie River, near the confluence with the Great Bear Lake. The substance ignited is the lignite seams, columns of smoke indicating to the voyager on the Mackenzie that the fires still burn as they did when Sir Alexander Mackenzie first traversed the mighty stream which bears his name in 1781.

New Memoir Published.
This interesting physical phenomenon is related in the excellent memoir on the Mackenzie River basin which has just been issued by the Geological Survey (No. 52). The public looks for the highest class of production from the Survey in these scientific and geographical memoirs, issued by its officers from time to time, and in this book they are not disappointed. The authors are Charles Cammell and Wyatt Malcolm, and as Mr. Cammell, now director of the Geological Survey in this province, stands among the foremost geologists of the continent, the work which has been published will earn the appreciation of all cartographers.

An Unknown Land.
The vastness of the basin, 680,000 square miles, involves a very general description. Much of the land is still unexplored. Lakes whose surface has never been ruffled by the canoes of white men, rivers whose course is unknown, mountains which have never been ascended by human feet still show in dotted lines on the map accompanying the publication. This map, on a scale of fifty miles to the inch, covers the vast wilderness of the Coronation Gulf in the Arctic to Edmonton, and from Prince Albert to the Portland Canal.

What memories are conjured up by the narrative of the expeditions of Back and Franklin and Richardson? They were worthy successors of those great Canadian explorers Mackenzie and David Thompson, all of who traversed this vast wilderness. Then came Hudson's Bay Company men pushing the fur trading posts by stream and few over the vast expanse, until in the present days officers of the Geological Survey have done much to elucidate the story of the greatest basin, next to that of the Mississippi, on the North American continent.

Readers of the memoir will learn how much there is yet to be done, and how its resources may be developed for the advantage of man. Furs are still its chief export, but agriculture is gaining in the southern part of the great central plain drained by the Mackenzie, lying between the Laurentian plateau and the Cordilleras, which shut off the plains from British Columbia.

REFUSED SUPPORT

Comrades of the Great War Do Not Want Commission Given Real Estate Men.

Considerable indignation was expressed at the meeting of the Comrades of the Great War on Saturday night when a letter from the Victoria Real Estate Exchange was read, asking the organization to send three delegates to a meeting of the Exchange on Wednesday evening. At this meeting the resolution forbidding the payment of commissions under the Land Settlement Act, will be discussed. The Exchanges wishes to have the clause eliminated.

The Comrades voted against sending any representatives to the meeting. Some of the Comrades pointed out that when the separation allowance paid to soldiers' wives was increased from \$25 to \$30 a month, the rents of houses occupied by soldiers' dependents was immediately raised \$5. The meeting decided to send a telegram to Ottawa and letters to the Premier of British Columbia and Land Settlement Board asking that the clause be allowed to remain.

Comrade MacKenzie was elected vice-president of the Comrades vice Comrade Tilley, who is leaving the Province.

A resolution was passed protesting against the action of the G. W. V. A. in regard to the proposed bonus.

PERPLEXING THE BARBER.

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"What?"

"Without effervescent verbosity," was the reply. "Let even diminutive colloquy be conspicuous by its absence."

The barber scratched his head thoughtfully a second and then went over to the proprietor of the shop and whispered:

"I don't know whether the man in my chair is mad or a foreigner, but I can't find out what he wants."

The victim had to explain that he wanted the job done in silence.—TIT-BITS.

It was a stage rehearsal. The principal lady came on the stage dressed in walking-out costume, and started to sing her great song.

"My dear," cried the manager, "you are surely not going to sing with your veil on?"

"Of course I am," she replied. "I want to hurry off as soon as I finish. I have to meet a friend."

"But singing with a veil on!" expostulated the manager. "Well, well!" he added, in a resigned tone. "I can't help it if you want to strain your voice!"

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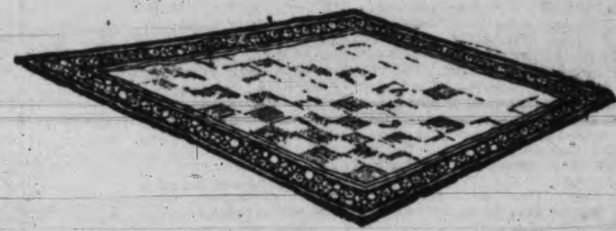
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A BEDTIME STORY

UNCLE WIGGILY AND MRS. SPINSPIN.
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(By Howard R. Garis)

"Do you want to come for a hop with me, Susie?" asked Uncle Wiggily Longears, as he met the little rabbit girl in the woods near his hollow stump bungalow one day.

"Oh, I'd love to," said Uncle Wiggily, answered Susie. "Do you suppose we'll have an adventure?"

"You never can tell," said the bunny rabbit, as he twinkled his pink nose like an orange lollipop. "I do hope something happens!"

"Something nice, I mean!" she asked quickly as she saw Nurse Jane Fuzzy Wuzzy, who was Uncle Wiggily's muskrat lady housekeeper, looking queerly at her.

"Then Uncle Wiggily and Susie Littlestall hoped off through the woods, but they had not gone very far before, all of a sudden, they heard a voice saying:

"Oh, dear! Oh, dear! Oh, dear!"

"Oh, maybe this is an adventure!" whispered Susie eagerly.

"I think it's some one in trouble," remarked Uncle Wiggily, "and if it is I'm going to help them."

Carefully he and Susie peeked around the corner of an ice cream cone tree, and there they saw a nice spider lady looking at a big hole that had been torn in her cobweb.

"Good morning, Mrs. Spin-Spin," said Uncle Wiggily, making a low and polite bow with his tail silk hat to the spider lady.

"Ah, ha! Now I have you!" barked the fox. "You are just the ones I've been looking for. I'll take a lot of house off your ears and have it for lunch."

"Oh, please don't!" begged Uncle Wiggily.

"Yes, I shall!" said the fox. "But first I'll lie down here and take a little sleep. A sleep always makes me hungry, and I'll like your house so much the better."

So the fox stretched out and went to sleep, but he still kept hold of Susie and Uncle Wiggily in his paws. They could not get away. They were feeling very sad about losing their house, when, all of a sudden, along came crawling Mrs. Spin-Spin, the spider lady.

"Hush!" she whispered, holding up one leg. "Don't say a word! Don't wake up the fox, and I'll soon fix him so that he can't move. Then you can easily slip away. I'll spin a web around his legs so he can't run after you. I'll spin a web all around him as he sleeps."

"But a spider web isn't strong enough to hold a fox!" exclaimed Susie.

"Hush!" whispered Mrs. Spin-Spin. "You shall see!"

Quickly she began spinning a web around the legs of the sleeping fox, taking care not to spin any on Susie or Uncle Wiggily. And as Mrs. Spin-Spin was weaving the web, along came her sister, Mrs. Spin-Spin. And then along came ten thousand other nice spider ladies, and they all softly spun their web around the fox as he slept.

Now, while one cobweb thread is not very strong, ten thousand and two threads are very hard to break. And soon the fox was fastened as tightly as if by ropes.

"Now hop away, Uncle Wiggily!" cried Mrs. Spin-Spin. "You, too, Susie!"

And the bunny rabbit and Susie hopped away, and when the fox suddenly awakened, and tried to get up to chase them, he couldn't, for he was all tangled up in the cobwebs. And

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Social Personal

Mr. and Mrs. Charles Ross, of Ottawa, are guests at the Empress Hotel.

Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Summers, of Omaha, Nebraska, have registered at the Empress Hotel.

Vernon W. Stewart, chief of Victoria's Fire Department, visited Nanaimo last Thursday.

Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Dobson and Miss Dobson, of Nanaimo, are guests at the Empress Hotel.

F. H. Mobley, M.P.P., arrived in the city on Saturday, returning from the Liberal Convention at Ottawa.

Mrs. George Hall and daughter Lucille returned last week from California after a visit with relatives.

Miss Fullerton and Miss B. Fullerton, of Gordon Head, have been visiting friends in Vancouver for the past few days.

Mr. and Mrs. Harry Howard, of Victoria, accompanied by Mr. and Mrs. Wanless, of Seattle, have made a motor tour of the island.

Mrs. I. Byers and daughter, Dorothy and Gladys, left on Saturday for Seattle, where they will spend the week renewing acquaintances.

Mrs. J. Carey, of Victoria, is staying with her brother, M. J. O'Brien, at his summer cottage near Vernon, weeks holiday.

At St. Andrew's Church, Vancouver, on August 14, Margaret, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. D. Main, Hope-man, Morayshire, was married to Alexander, son of Mr. and Mrs. A. McKenzie, of Victoria.

George R. Drysdale, son of Gordon Drysdale, is visiting the city preparatory to making an extensive tour of the island. Mr. Drysdale has recently returned from France where he served four years.

Sergeant J. H. Taylor of Vancouver, is spending a few days with his uncle and aunt, Mr. and Mrs. R. W. Perry, Oak Bay Ave. Sergeant Taylor was one of the originals of the 29th Battalion, Tobin's Tigers.

Mrs. C. B. Jones, wife of the Rev. of St. Paul's, accompanied by her small son, Gordon, left yesterday for Vancouver en route for White Rock, where she will join her daughter Gladys, who is spending a holiday with friends there.

On Saturday afternoon a quiet wedding took place at the residence of the officiating clergyman, Rev. Dr. MacRae, 210 Dundas Street, when Alfred Leslie Sowerton and Miss Lillie Chase were united in marriage. The young couple will reside in Victoria.

Hugh Savage, editor of The Cowichan Express, accompanied by Mrs. Savage, came down from Duncan on Friday and after spending the weekend in Seattle returned yesterday with The National Editorial Association convention. While in the city they are guests at the Dominion Hotel.

W. H. Cullen, printer, Mrs. Cullen, his daughter Mrs. Surphus and Mrs. Burnes, of Victoria, were in Ladysmith recently en route to Campbell River to spend a week's outing. While there they attended the dance at the sports grounds and Mrs. Burnes was selected as one of the judges in the waiting competition.

Mrs. Newton Burdick, of Vancouver, entertained at a small luncheon at the Jericho Country Club on Friday in honor of Miss Eberts, of Victoria. Her guests were Miss Barbara Hogg, Mrs. A. R. Green, of Victoria; Mrs. Knox, Walkers, of Ketchikan; and Mrs. G. S. Rothwell, Mrs. George Lindsay, formerly of Victoria.

On Monday, August 11, at St. Peter's Church, Nanaimo, the Rev. Father Silver of Esquimalt, B. C., celebrated the marriage of Richard P. Weber, of Esquimalt, and Miss Rose A. Quigley of Extension. The bride was attended by Miss Annie Ward of Extension, while Mr. M. Zanino also of extension, acted as best man. After a honeymoon spent on the Mainland, Mr. and Mrs. Weber will make their home in Esquimalt.

Under the auspices of the Bastion Chapter, I. O. E. of Nanaimo, an enjoyable concert was given Friday night at Quilicum Military Hospital, which was greatly appreciated by the patients and staff. The following musical programme was given, followed by an impromptu dance: Piano solo, Miss V. Coleman; song (in costume), Miss Martindale; comic duet, Miss Bates and Cadet Harold Ryall; song, Mr. Carr; song (in costume), Miss M. Walker; song, comic, Miss W. Pollard; song, Miss Polly Paulner; song, M. D. Bates; song (community), "Until We Meet Again," Miss Walker and chorus.

Local friends of Miss Mabel Durham, formerly of The Province editorial staff, and lately a visitor to this city, will be interested to learn that she was on Friday presented with a gold-enamelled pin by the Pioneer Political Equality League, of Vancouver, in recognition of many years of interest in suffrage work. Miss Durham expects to leave shortly on an extended trip to the Old Country, and the event was something in the nature of a farewell. Mrs. McKenney voiced the best wishes and appreciation of those present, and Mrs. Fred Patterson presented the pin. Others present were Miss Bain, Mrs. Cecil Cotton, Mrs. Walter Smith and Mrs. Edward Francis.

A very successful garden party and sale of work arranged by the Langford and District Branch of the Woman's Auxiliary to the M. S. C. C. took place on Tuesday afternoon, August 12, at the home of Mrs. Wells Colwood. The sale was opened by Mrs. Cuthbert Holmes, of Highlands, who congratulated the members of the Auxiliary on their work of the afternoon. She welcomed to the

Susie and Mr. Longears were soon safely home.

So this teaches us that a calico apron is sometimes better than a silk dress, and if the doggie's collar doesn't slip down around his tail, and make him turn a somersault over the puny cat's back, I'll tell you next about Uncle Wiggily and the doughnuts.

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parish the new rector, the Rev. L. A. Knight and spoke briefly but very feelingly on the late incumbent of the parish, the Rev. Arthur Wells. The Rev. L. A. Knight, in responding, spoke of his pleasure in undertaking the work of the district. The work still, teas and ice cream were all well patronized and the members wish to express their thanks to all those who came and contributed towards the success of the afternoon.

On Friday evening, at 138 Ebert Street, the residence of the bride's brother, Mr. James G. Burnett, a very pretty wedding took place in the presence of friends of the principals, when Captain the Rev. Dr. Campbell celebrated the marriage of Alexander Muir and Miss Alice McKay Burnett, both of Victoria. The bride, who was given in marriage by her brother, looked charming in a gown of white voile trimmed with satin and pearls, carried a bouquet of white roses and was attended by her sister-in-law, Mrs. Burnett, as matron of honor. Her little niece, Miss Jean H. Burnett, as flower girl, dressed in a frock of white voile, carried a bouquet of pink carnations. The bride's travelling suit was navy-blue serge and georgette hat. The bridegroom was accompanied, as groomsmen, by Alexander Reid. After the ceremony was the guests partook of supper, daintily served. Dr. Campbell acted as toastmaster. Mr. and Mrs. Muir left by the midnight boat to spend their honeymoon in the Sound cities, and on their return will meantime make their home in Victoria, but ultimately will move to their farm in Comox Valley, which Mr. Muir has secured through the Soldiers' Settlement Board.

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DEMORALISING EFFECT OF FILMS IN INDIA

Miss Constance Bromley, Here Recently, Gives Interesting Interview in London

Particular interest attaches to the following interview published in the Overseas Daily Mail of recent date, in view of the fact that Miss Bromley is a daughter of Mrs. Bromley, Jubb of Howe Street, Victoria, and recently spent some weeks in the city when on her way from India to England.

The article reads in part: "The white woman in India realizes that she is receiving less respect from the natives than before, and a great deal of this is due to the indiscriminate showing of films on social and marriage problems," said Miss Constance Bromley, who has just returned to England after four years in India, and who was for some time manager of a large picture theatre in Calcutta, mainly frequented by Europeans.

"The natives are great film enthusiasts, and there are fourteen picture houses in Bombay alone. They will sit right through all the parts of a long serial film from dawn to dusk. The trouble is that most of the audience are illiterate. The wording on the film is occasionally translated, but even then it is not understood. They, therefore, put any construction they like on the plots of stories and get their ideas of European women inextricably mixed.

"They think of their own treatment of women and the rigid laws of custom they have to obey. If the women go to the picture theatre, they come to sit apart in a well curtained box. The European women, too, are careful in their conduct, and are not seen in evening dress in public.

"And then comes the great contrast of the film, where the natives see white women in all sorts of garb; on one occasion they saw the heroine of a long film, mainly garbed in bathing costume. They see white wives on the screen in compromising situations, and the result is that they get a low opinion of European morals."

WRINKLES FOR WRITERS.
John Augustus Scribble wearily opened the envelope that brought back from his twentieth journey his "Ode on a Crushed Caterpillar."

There dropped upon the floor this letter from the regretful editor:

"Dear sir, you ask for a few hints on authorship. Here they are.

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"Hint 2. Don't begin to write till you feel you must. Such an attack is heralded by dizziness, listlessness and pains in the back.

"Hint 3. Then write down just enough words to relieve your pent-up emotions.

"Hint 4. Erase every second word.

"Hint 5. Carefully erase all the remaining words.

"Hint 6. Sell the stamps."—Tit-Bits.

An S. E. and C. R. official was making a tour of inspection. At the Elephant and Castle Station a raucous voice called: "Elephant, Helephant!" Putting his head out of the carriage window the official asked the porter his name. "Smith," said the man.

At Herne Hill a porter shouted: "Erne Hill!" With his nerves on edge the official called the man and inquired his name. "Jones," said the porter. "Anything wrong, sir?"

"Nothing much," said the official, "but I'll see that you change places with Smith at the Elephant next week."

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Lettuce (head) 12
Potatoes, local, sack 2 1/2
Cucumbers, each 17
Tomatoes, local, lb. 20
Parsley, bunch 05
Local Mint, bunch 05
Beets, 3 bunches 10
Green Peas, 4 lbs. 25
String Beans, per lb. 10
Broad Beans 05
Butter Beans, per lb. 05
Vegetable Marrows 05

Fruit.
Plums, per lb. 20
Casarbas Melons, lb. 12 1/2
Honeydew Melons, each 40
Loganberries, 2 lbs. 45
Peaches, basket 40
Pears, basket 40
Oranges, doz. 06
Watermelons, lb. 40
Red Currants, per box 15
Black Currants, per lb. 25
Raspberries, 2 boxes 45
Strawberries, 1 doz. 15
Navel (mixed), lb. 10
Brazil 12 1/2
Novello, lb. 20
Cherries (local) 20
Cherries (local), white 15
Nuts (mixed), lb. 10
Local Green Walnuts, lb. 25
Dates, pkg. 20
Currants, lb. 25
Pineapples 65
Muskmelons 15
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Eggs (local), doz. 65
Fish—
Bloaters, lb. 12
Crabs, each, 15c. or 2 for 25
Plounders, 3 lbs. 25
Red Spring Salmon, lb. 22
Cod, whole, 10c.; sliced 12 1/2
Cod, salt, Rupert 15
Cod Fillets 16
Fresh Black Cod, lb. 15
Pinnal Haddock, lb. 20
Herring, fresh, 4 lbs. 25
Herring, kippered, lb. 12
Oysters, Esquimalt, dozen 40
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VANCOUVER ISLAND NEWS

commissions of Nanaimo and Vancouver will meet Minister of Marine and Fisheries Ballantyne when he comes to the coast in September, to protest against the recent report of the commission on pilotage.

Victoria Pilotage Commission has not yet held a meeting to discuss the report, but will meet before the Minister arrives in order to decide whether it will confer with him.

The pilots of Victoria, Vancouver, and Nanaimo have expressed unanimous dissatisfaction with the pilotage report in practically every clause.

—Nanaimo Herald.

District Representative.
It is understood that in the spring an expert fulfilling the duties of a District Representative will be sent to the Comox Valley whose duties will be to help the farmers improve their herds and crops. No small part of his duties will be to guide and give advice to the settlers at Meriville as to what crops to grow and on what land.

S. F. Hopkins who is acting as district representative at Duncan will make periodic visits to the Valley in future it is understood.—Comox Argus.

Courtesy Train Service.

At the meeting of the Courtenay branch of the V. W. A. held recently a resolution was passed asking that a daily railway service over the E. and N. railway should be established into Courtenay. Comrade Ault who is staying in the time in that district brought the matter up and helped to frame the resolution. He set forth the fact that the district was growing very rapidly in population and importance and pointed out that the intermittent service meant loss of time and money to returned men who were coming into the district to look over the prospects.

To Visit Ladysmith.

Probably the matter that attracted the most interest at the last meeting of the City Council was the communication from the Governor-General's secretary conveying the information that the Prince of Wales would visit Ladysmith on Friday, September 26.

Col. H. G. Henderson, secretary to the Governor-General, stated that the Prince of Wales will make a short stop in Ladysmith on Friday, September 26, and giving suggestions as to the form of address that should be presented to His Royal Highness. He suggested that a committee of honor should be selected from the returned soldiers.

After some discussion, it was moved, seconded and carried that the committee be appointed to carry out all arrangements and that the local branch of the G.W.V.A. be asked to participate in the reception. Mayor Anderson appointed the following committee: Aldermen Nimmo, Lauderbach and Gourlay.—Ladysmith Chronicle.

Is Home Again.

The many friends of Col. Edward Greaves were delighted to meet him on his return from overseas last Wednesday. He left for overseas over four years ago and during that time he was privileged to engage in service in various portions of the war zone. After reaching England he was dispatched with an ambulance corps to Salonica, where he remained for over two years. Returning to England in the autumn of 1917 he was sent to France, where he remained until a few months ago.

Buy Farm.

The Watson farm at Westholme has been bought by Col. Matthews, who is now in possession at a price reported at \$15,000. The Watson farm has been bought by Potter Brothers under the Soldier Settlement scheme.

Obtain Increase.

The employees of the Canadian Western Fuel Company, Nanaimo, have been granted an increase in wages of 25 cents a day, said increase to take effect on September 1 next.

Form Dramatic Association.

The organization of an association for the production of amateur entertainments of a dramatic and musical nature was effected at a meeting held at Berquist Small Hall, Sidney, and while a name for the association was not decided upon, officers were elected. F. F. Fries, being chosen president, Bob Sloan vice-president and Miss W. Fatt secretary-treasurer. A committee on by-laws and to consider a name for the association was appointed with instructions to submit a report at the next meeting, the committee consisting of H. F. Cross, Mrs. P. N. Tester, Miss W. Fatt, Bob Sloan and Ed. Blackburn.

Alcided to Be Sold.

The steam patrol boat Alcided, which has been stationed at Nanaimo in the past, and which is now laid up at Westminister, will be sold. She was seized some years ago by the fisheries patrol, and the Government bought her in when tenders were called. The boat at that time was gasoline propelled and steam was installed at Nanaimo. Her place will be taken by the launch Figma. The new trawler Givency is now in charge at Vancouver.

Raid at Cumberland.

As the result of a raid of Inland Revenue officials at Cumberland, four men have been charged, one with keeping a still, another with having liquor contrary to the Prohibition Act and two others with having beer and "wash" for the manufacture of spirits contrary to the Inland Revenue Act. John Marochi is charged with having a still in his possession. The still and boiler and several demijohns were produced in court on Wednesday when he and the other defendants came up before Magistrate Shaw, of Cumberland, and Magistrate Hames, of Courtenay. Demons, who runs the Vendome Hotel, was charged with having liquor in his possession contrary to the Prohibition Act and U. Bonora and A. Bonora are charged with having beer and wash for the manufacture of spirits.

The charge was laid by Inland Revenue Officers J. E. Miller, of Victoria, and John Shaw, of Nanaimo, who have been making a tour of the island, visiting Courtenay, Campbell River and lastly, Port Alberni.

No evidence was taken on Wednesday, Marochi asking for an adjournment in order to get counsel and the prosecutors asking for an adjournment in the other cases. All the defendants were remanded and will come up again on Wednesday next.

Merville Items.

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blaze but great care was taken to restrict the area of the flames. Settlers are now impatiently waiting for the Government to grant them a post office. The building is ready. The telephone is connected to the office of the contractors but has not yet been placed in the public pay station in the post office building. The surveyors are busy planning and subdividing the land of the colony. Care is being taken to link up the new roads to be laid out with those already in existence. It is planned to run a road from the settlement of the support of the wharf at Little River later on.—Comox Argus.

THE RUSSIAN MYSTERY

From The Christian Science Monitor.

The more closely any level-headed human being studies the Russian question, the more utterly baffling it becomes. The out-and-out Bolshevik is just as mentally lopsided as the ultra-sympathizer with Bolshevism. To him the Bolshevik state represents the highest attainment of human government, and in adopting this mental attitude he has assured himself of the support of the intellectuals. Nor is there anything particularly surprising in this. The intellectual has always been the victim of certain morbid mental secretions, and the relation of the emotions to the intellect is by this time, a thing it is scarcely necessary to dwell upon. Therefore the intellectuals should be found ready to palliate, to condone, or even to deny, with reckless asseveration, the bloodguiltiness of Bolshevism in evidence of it rather than anything else.

On the other hand, the striking of the balance by reaction is altogether overdone. The labeling of everybody who thinks any reform necessary a Bolshevik is unutterably silly, and has no other effect upon thinking people than that produced by the boy who shouted "Wolf! Wolf!" until nobody believed him. Then one day the wolf really did come. Now it is utterly impossible to set aside all the stories of Bolshevik terrorism as the ultra-sympathizer with Bolshevism so cheerfully and uncritically does. No one, for instance, has yet dared to call Colonel Ward, some-time laborer on Sudan railway embankments, a "bloated pluralist," yet Colonel Ward has told the story, with almost too meticulous exactness, of the digging out of the mineshafts in which the Romanoffs were done to death. Distinctly, they order these matters better in France, and even in England, than they do in Russia. The regimes of the great Rebellion and the Revolution sent their kings to the scaffold in the light of day; they did not murder them in the dark, and then try to cover the traces of their acts.

The mental difference typified by the Siberian mineshaft as opposed to the block in Whitehall or the little window in the Place de la Revolution, is obvious surely to the most superficial of new readers. Besides, too many men and women have come out of Russia, who saw the streets of Petrograd and Moscow in the earlier days of "the great experiment," to make the camouflaging of Lenin and Trotsky into Brutuses or Cromwells content to extenuate nothing, but also let it be careful not to add anything in malice, and when it does not know let it remain silent. That in the earlier days of the struggle the attitude of Mr. Lloyd George and of Mr. Wilson, and it is presumably still is. Both were strongly opposed to intervention in Russia, on the very ground that they did not know what was happening in Russia. It was no desire to intervene, but the necessity of forcibly frustrating the attempts of Germany economically to exploit Russia for the continuance of the war that brought about the ex-

peditions to Archangel and Vladivostok. Whether these expeditions were wisely conceived or executed in anything approaching sufficient force to be really effective is entirely another thing. The effort seems, however, to have been to checkmate Germany without unduly antagonizing Russia. To have helped Russia in the way Mr. Wilson originally proposed would, after Russia passed into the control of Lenin and Trotsky, have been impossible. The assistance would have been promptly turned against those who supplied it. Lenin would have taken rolling stock and plows from Washington just as he took gold from Berlin, with the intent of making the Bolshevik Government in Russia the motive force of Bolshevist revolutions in Germany and the United States. Up to a point he was actually successful in Germany, but that was because social and economic conditions played into his hands in a way they never did in the United States. And yet, in spite of all this, it is well nigh impossible to discover what is even now happening in Russia. The picture is still months behind the clock. Mrs. Tolstinson has lately given to the world a detailed and careful picture of Siberia from the Soviet point of view, but Mrs. Tolstinson herself lost touch with Russia too long ago to speak with authority to-day.

So far as the best information obtainable goes, Koltchak has shot his bolt for the present and Lenin is apparently dominant in the Ural. Mr. Bonar Law practically admitted this a week or so ago in the House of Commons. And now Mr. Winston Churchill tells that House that the Allies are steadily evacuating the Archangel and Murmansk sectors, and that by winter none of their troops will be left there. Still, the Finns, though always going to do no occupy Petrograd, neither, though it is always going to, is the victorious advance of Denikin driven home. What, then, in such circumstances, and within sound of the babel of discordant testimony from the papers is the man in the street to believe? If secretaries of state and ambassadors cannot answer the riddle, where is Oedipus to be found?

Yet the riddle is scarcely worthy of the Sphinx. The pontification of Lenin is simply the result of the more acute pretension of Lenin to those conditions which are exciting unrest over the whole world to-day. Diplomacy, after the manner of diplomacy, has, from time to time, made futile attempts at the Bolshevik nettle, but all the time with uneasy glances at the ballot boxes in Europe and America. Mr. Clemenceau is probably the only responsible statesman who, if he could have had his way, would have crushed the nettle under foot, or seized it or torn it out of the ground. What would have followed the heroic remedy is a matter of opinion; what has followed the policy of hesitancy may perhaps be expressed in the words of an old street song of the Victorian era:

"First she would, and then she wouldn't.
When she would, she found she couldn't."

That is the refrain of the unstable from Reuben, the son of Jacob, to the lock-mender, who was son of St. Louis.

The moral is as simple as that of a book for the young. It is that the whole unrest of the world is one and indivisible. The mistake politicians are making is the usual selfish one of endeavoring to divide the world into water-tight compartments called countries. But mind laughs at frontiers, and crosses oceans with a hop, skip and a jump. The politics of the future will be compelled, whether he likes it or not, to think in hemispheres.

DRILL SERGEANT'S TRIALS.

Sergeant Blunt's patience was all but exhausted. It seemed that none of the recruits in the riding school had ever made the acquaintance of a horse before. They were all hopeless, and one even worse than the rest. His persistent habit of turning round and inspecting the rear of his gery steed goaded the sergeant to frenzy. "Look here, my son," he roared at last, "haven't you ever seen a horse's tail before?"

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Attorney-General's Triumphs
Before Privy Council Arouse
Considerable Interest

After an absence of three months the Hon. J. W. deB. Farris, Attorney General and Minister of Labor, returned to his office at the Parliament Buildings this morning. Sandwiched between the greetings and verbal congratulations of his cabinet colleagues was the business of opening personal mail, at least ninety per cent. of which bore cordial expressions in reference to his successful mission to England.

Not alone were the various communications from people in British Columbia, who took more than usual interest in the cases which Mr. Farris placed before the highest court in the Empire, but quite a number came from other parts of Canada where the far-reaching nature of the legal points involved appear to have aroused not a little interest.

Perhaps the Workmen's Compensation case, arising out of the disaster to the ill-fated Sophia, was watched with even more concern than other matters generally associated with "what has come to be known as provincial rights." These remarks apply to the interest with which organized labor in this and other provinces manifested towards it.

With the general principal apparently established that the British Columbia workmen, as such in every sense of the term, is protected by the Workmen's Compensation Act of this province, no matter whether he meets with an accident in this or any other part of the world, is a matter of no small importance to all workers coming within the scope of the statute.

Mr. McVety's Congratulations.

How a prominent labor spokesman views the Attorney-General's triumph is best understood by an expression from J. H. McVety, Secretary-Treasurer of District Lodge 73, International Association of Machinists, who writes in part as follows:

"Allow me to congratulate you on your success with the appeal before the Privy Council and particularly the one affecting the extra territorial jurisdiction of the province in connection with the Workmen's Compensation Act. I will watch for and read with interest the judgment of the court on this question as I was never very enthusiastic about the chances of winning. Credit is due to the Government for carrying out the appeals so vigorously as the organizations whose members were effected were hardly in a position to do so, particularly in view of the extremely slim chances of success."

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It will be remembered that when the subject was mentioned in the Legislature during this year's session Mr. Farris contended that the province had jurisdiction in the premises. He made it clear at the time, however, that an adverse decision by the courts of the province would not close the matter, and in reply to an opposition query he stated emphatically that he would take the case to the Privy Council.

PREMIER LOOKING WELL

Returns to His Labors Well Satisfied
With the Convention and Hopeful
About P. G. E.'s Future.

In connection with the Convention of the Underwriters' Association in session at Calgary to-day, Premier Oliver, who returned to his office at the Parliament Buildings this morning fresh from his trip to Ottawa, wired his invitation to the Convention to hold its next gathering in Victoria.

The Premier is looking well after his strenuous time in the East, and is well satisfied with the outcome of the proceedings of the Liberal Convention. He also returns hopeful concerning the future of the Pacific Great Eastern Railway, and although it is too early in the day to make predictions he is of the opinion that British Columbia will not remain in the railway business for a very long period.

W. P. Hinton Here.—Vice-President W. P. Hinton, executive of the Grand Trunk Pacific Railway, arrived in Victoria yesterday on one of his periodical inspection trips. He was very much impressed with the improvement in conditions generally and is very optimistic over the future.

**ISLAND SPORTSMEN TO
CONFER ON OPEN DATES**

Sportsmen of Victoria and the Island will meet Dr. Baker, chairman of the Game Conservation Board, at the Parliament Buildings to-morrow evening at 7.30 to discuss changes in the dates recently set. It is hoped to obtain a deputation of sportsmen representative of the Island at the meeting, and an open invitation is extended to anyone interested in the effort to secure an amendment of the dates decided upon at the recent sitting of the Board.

**GOVERNMENT'S TRACT
ASSUMING GOOD SHAPE**

Mr. Pattullo Interviewed Kettle
Valley Railway Manager
Re Transportation

After a hurried trip of inspection of the Government's South Okanagan settlement area the Hon. T. D. Pattullo, Minister of Lands, accompanied by Water Controller Cleveland, returned to his office at the Parliament Buildings this morning.

While in the district Mr. Pattullo went into the question of townsite location and disposed of certain details in connection therewith. The Minister also interviewed J. J. Warren, Manager of the Kettle Valley Railway Company, on the subject of extension of the system which will eventually provide the necessary transportation facilities for the whole of the Government's tract. Mr. Pattullo regards the interview as a satisfactory one and hopes to be in a position to make an announcement at an early date.

Construction work has already made good progress on the ditch, the contract for which was recently let by the Government.

THOMPSON TROPHY SHOOT

The shoot in the final for the James Thomson trophy at Clover Point Saturday afternoon by the 5th Regiment, C. G. A., was toward the finish of a very exciting nature. The four competitors who were high in the first stage never got very far away from each other. The high score of the day was made by Gnr. Culross, who dropped four points in his first three shots, but, with the remaining seventeen he never lost the bulseye. The winner of the trophy, Gnr. Culross, dropped five points, having thirteen consecutive bulseyes.

Previous winners of the trophy were Capt. W. Winby in 1913 and Lieut. S. H. de Carteret in 1914. The trophy becomes the property of any competitor winning it twice, not necessarily in succession.

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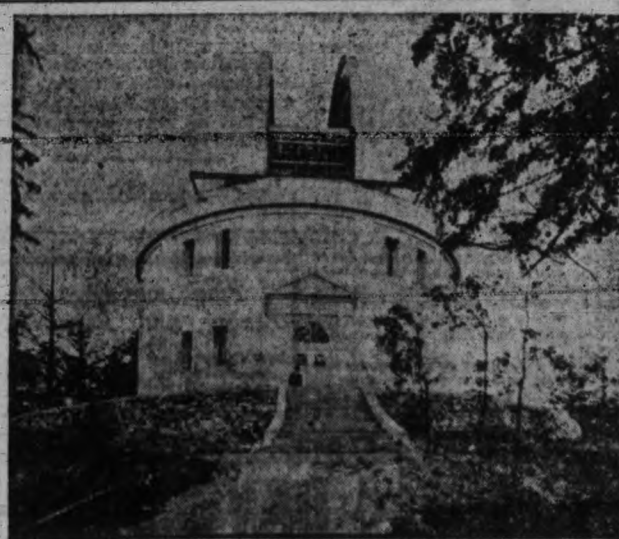
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J. Caven.....	96	93	189	
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Gnr. Neill.....	93	85	181	
F. J. Fleury.....	94	87	181	
Sergt. Stuckey.....	93	83	176	
Capt. Winby.....	96	83	179	
Lieut.-Col. Angus.....	98	78	176	
W. R. Smith.....	96	78	174	
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GREAT DAYS

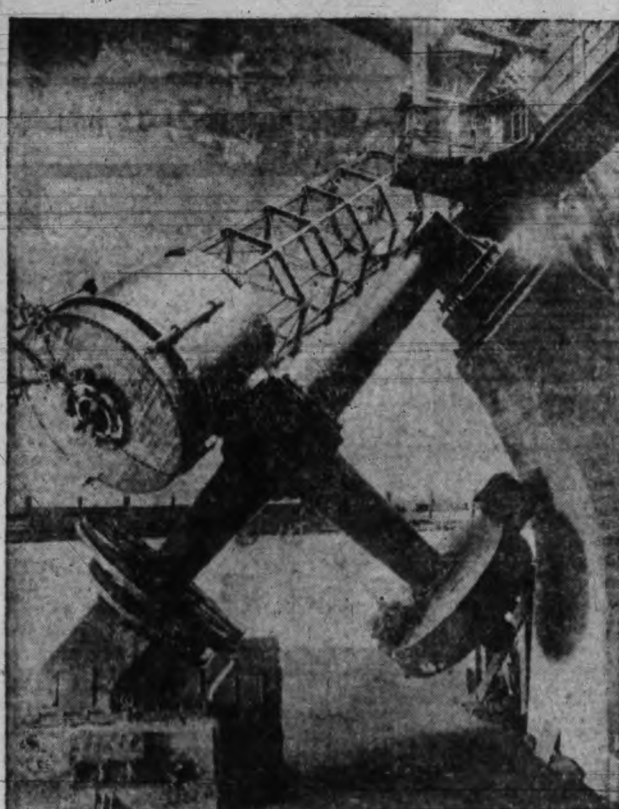
From The Boston Transcript.

Five years ago yesterday, a man now prematurely old who mopes and mumbles, a hopeless prisoner, in a dank old castle in Holland, plunged the world into a sea of blood by declaring war, as German Emperor against Russia. Five years ago to-day the vedettes of this presumptuous Kaiser, who is now emperor of nothing at all, crossed the French border at Cerey, and bodies of men entered Luxembourg. So momentous were the events which crowded fast upon the heels of these two roseate August days that it seemed impossible that they could have passed but five short years ago. In truth, the world, and we with it, have lived the full equivalent of centuries since then. We have histories, now, of the best of the histories so far brought out by the war covers but twelve days of time in all, and another pondorous time is the story of our forty days. As time goes forward, we may expect to see the literature of the war swelling upon still briefer episodes for its subjects. What a book, for example, could be written around the moment when Von Kluck's army, swinging around Paris to the southwestward, and put up to the French commander the opportunity for a flank attack which he did not miss. Around that movement all the history of Germany past, present and future, now seems to centre. The contingencies which rested upon the French and British movements at the moment were enormous. No single book could fully record all the facts, considerations and influences, moral and material, that went to the answering of the question presented by that one movement.

So as we go on, glancing back over the demi-decade that has elapsed since 1914, each one will find days that for him mean not a line less than a volume. It seems as if there were not days enough in the year for these war anniversaries. Each man who participated in the vast struggle has his own, and the sobered kinsman of him who fell in battle constantly catch their breath, remembering that this was the day of his enlistment, this of his call to the colors, this of his repairing to camp, this the day when the bugle sounded and the companies fell into line for the march to the train, this the day of embarkation, this of arrival in France, and so on up to that final and culminating terrible date. All personal, this; but the

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great world, unheeding of the tragic personal record, will find its glorious days, its sad and bitter days, its pivotal and decisive days, certainly not fewer than the individual anniversaries.

So strangely big and momentous seem those far-away early days of August, 1914, that it is hard to realize that they were just such soft and sunny days as those that are passing. It is possible that the terrible recoil of the British and French from Mons and Charleroi left no mark upon the round white summer clouds that move across the blue. Could nature behold the rally on the Marne and not consciously and visibly remember it forever? Some how one doubts it. But though the "daughters of time, the hypocrite foot Dervishes," may in themselves carry no imprint of the undreamed of and still unrealizable events that have made them more significant than all other days, the minds and souls of men will bear their mark forever. As for these days of August, brothers of those when the ground trembled with the tramp of the oncoming host, and Belgium underwent her martyrdom, and the battered line at Charleroi took up its sorrowful backward way they seemed to have assumed a certain

hush that they never had before. It is all in us, quite naturally—but will the sense of it ever pass from us?

**COST-OF-LIVING
CLASHES IN FRANCE**

Paris, Aug. 18.—(Havas)—Several collisions have occurred between food dealers and consumers in the southeastern provinces and elsewhere. At Brest the dockworkers seized provisions in the central markets and sold them at half price. Consumers and retailers at Levallois, near Paris, decided to take joint action against the middlemen.

**GERMAN DELEGATES
ASK ABOUT DANZIG**

Versailles, Aug. 18.—The German delegation here has sent a note to Paul Dutaits, Secretary-General of the Peace Delegation, asking enlightenment on the status of Danzig. Inquiry is made as to when Danzig will be declared a free town and what the nationality of the inhabitants will be. The Conference also is asked to outline the future relations between Danzig and Poland.

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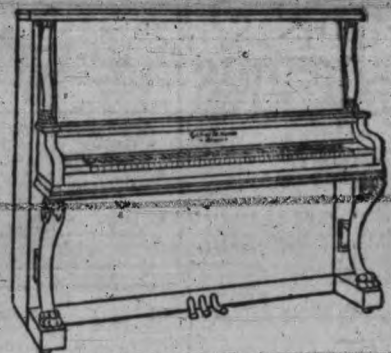
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Constance Talmadge will be seen in the role of a girl who plays with love without realizing its import in her latest Select Picture, "Who Cares?"

AMUSEMENTS TO-DAY

Princess — R. N. Hinecks and Company present "The Private Secretary."
Pantages—Vaudeville.
Variety — Alla Nazimova in "War Brides."
Dominion—Marguerite Clark in "Come Out of the Kitchen."
Royal Victoria—Constance Talmadge in "Who Cares."
Columbia — "Tarzan of the Apes" and serial, "A Fight for Millions."
Romano — William Russell in "Some Liar" and serial, "The Lightning Raider."

In which she is presented by Lewis J. Selznick, "Who Cares" will be seen at the Royal Victoria for four days, commencing to-night.

Joan—Just a kid—lives with her grand-parents, who have grown old ungracefully and resent the thought of anyone being young. Joan's life is a pretty unhappy one with them until Martin Grey, a young man, comes to live in the house next door. They meet and spend many happy days to-

gether. Joan's grandparents discover that she is meeting Martin and forbid her seeing him anymore. This is too much for Joan. That night she runs away to Martin and asks him to take her to her friend, Alice, in the city. Martin consents. When they arrive in the city they discover that Alice has gone out of town. Martin takes Joan to his home and considers the only decent thing he can do is to marry the girl. She readily consents, not realizing the full obligations of marriage. She has adopted the words "Who Cares" for her motto and tells Martin that she is going to take a long ride on the merry-go-round of life. She carries out her intentions and forgets that such a person as Martin exists. For days at a time she does not see him.

Meanwhile, Joan has been going around with Gilbert Palgrave, her friend Alice's husband, and a renegade of the worst kind. She suddenly gets lonely for Martin and realizes that she does not like the idea of her going about with a girl with a "white face, red lips and hair that comes out of a bottle."

Her grandmother asks Joan to pay her a visit, and she goes in order to forget about everything and go back to the scene of her romance. The first

night that Joan arrives in the country she decides she would like to see Martin's house. She goes over and discovers Martin with Toodles, the chorus girl. She is heartbroken, but decides that the world must not know of her hurt. She plays the game harder than ever, and it is Martin who saves her from ruin when Palgrave threatens her with a revolver unless she promises to live with him. Then she realizes that it is Martin she loves and that he is the only man with whom she can be happy.

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The Pantages this week has a tip-top show; one of these collections of good acts that get together in such a fashion that the ensemble just naturally pleases everyone to a degree. It is a hot weather arrangement, brisk in movement, entertaining without being frothy and each of the numbers is of desirable length and completeness to make a satisfying entertainment by itself. When the final curtain comes, the crowd move out of the theatre in good humor and bright in spirits.

Top of it all is Joe Jackson, the silent mirth dispenser, carrying off his honors with his tickling pantomimic twists, aided by a rickety bicycle and a bundle of rags. The people in the audience laugh at Joe until the tears roll down their cheeks; they can't help it. Not a word does he speak, but he splutters enough fun around the Pantages stage to keep the spectators chuckling for days after. His make-up is a scream and, together with his hilarious capers, is enough to shake any house with laughter. This is Joe Jackson, the Pantages headliner for the current week's bill of vaudeville.

The Winifred Gilrain dancers are worthy exemplifiers of grace and beauty who come along as the special added attraction of the new show. They have loose flowing, filmy gowns and are lithe in limb and lovable in their creations. The classic and the modern in their delightful programme and Miss Gilrain gives added impression to Harry Lauder's songs by her art of dancing. This is a high class offering that is really entertaining.

Another big feature in excellent high tone is the operatic singing of the Rialto Quartette. They possess fresh voices, well trained, and presented in a repertoire that is selected to make a delightful appeal. They offer excerpts from "Lucia," the quartette from "Rigoletto," "Il Trovatore," and the Solon-Mia. As an acknowledgement of the insistent applause of the audience, they usually give a charming Neapolitan love song.

The two young ladies, Gaylord and Herron, stand out as a particularly entertaining number on the bill. As black face girls they have a chirpy string of chatter and their jokes are fresh and not the least bit coarse.

Their "back stage" specialty is spiced by a run of small talk and by the time they are finished with their turn they have scored a worth while offering in the estimation of those out front.

Then there is Bobby Henshaw, another "original." He is the ukulele interpreter and besides is an excellent mimic of parrots, and other sources of familiar and odd little noises. He also shows an artistic side to his make up when he sings "Mammy o' Mine," a beautiful darky ballad given in finished style.

The Shattucks are splendid handlers of the long-necked dumb bells, and quite bewilder the audience with the opening number on the programme. This man and woman are able to get their share of applause out of the cleverness of their hoop juggling, and that is recommendation of the most satisfactory kind.

The thirteenth chapter of "The Man of Might" provides an entirely interesting offering for the Pantagescope introduction to the standard bill of Pantages vaudeville.

WILLIAM RUSSELL AT
ROMANO THIS WEEK

"Some Liars" Is Photo Play Occupying Screen For First Three Days

Few of the war yarns will rival the wild fabrications of one Robert Winchester McTabb. All by himself he headed a whole regiment of Germans, and he could tell about it with amazing vividness and stirring eloquence—notwithstanding the fact that he and his company never got across.

That was not the least of his exploits, either. He had killed seven reckless Westerners in a saloon brawl—and everybody knows that seven upstanding Westerners are equal to a whole platoon of Helms. It was this achievement, indeed, that marked him for selection by charming Cele Sterling as the right and proper agent to advance the date of her enemy's funeral.

How flabbergasted the mission gets him; how he makes believe that the shuffling-off process has been successfully completed; how nervous he grows when the real murderer turns up, and how stubbornly he clings to his story even when the noose is being tightened about his neck, you'll have to see in all its laughable detail when "Some Liar" comes to the Romano to-day for a three-day showing. William Russell is the professional prevaricator and

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NAZIMOVA WILL BE
VARIETY ATTRACTION

"War Brides" Is Photodram With Gripping Appeal

The photodrama, "War Brides," which comes to the Variety to-day for a week's showing, will have as its star Nazimova, and the theme of the

picture calls for an answer to the following:

"Shall love be sacrificed upon the altar of Imperial greed for power?"

Although it is impossible to escape this question in witnessing the play, no attempt is made to teach or preach. As in his previous successes, "A Daughter of the Gods," "The Soul of Broadway," and a number of other noted film successes, Mr. Brenon simply tells the story and lets the moral, if there be one, take care of itself. But in "War Brides" the constant clash between the individual and the state makes the problem obvious.

The individual in the play is Joan, a young peasant girl, in which role Nazimova will make her appearance. She played the part with great success in vaudeville, but many incidents have been added and elaborated, giving her much wider scope for her unique talents than she has had in any of her stage productions. The picture will be further enhanced by a beautiful symphonic orchestral score played by the Variety orchestra.

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MARGUERITE CLARK AT DOMINION AGAIN

Ever Popular Actress Will Entertain Victorians in New Photoplay

Marguerite Clark in her new photoplay "Come Out of the Kitchen" will be seen in one of the most versatile roles she has ever played. "Come Out of the Kitchen" scored a tremendous hit in story form, and later was one of the stage's biggest successes. It makes an ideal feature motion picture. Always bright where it is not tender and genuine in feeling, cheering from first to last in its happy viewpoint. Heavy contributor to the joyous mood of this delightful production is Marguerite Clark. More vivacious, more versatile, more persuasive than she has ever been, a source of pleasure to the spectator every moment she is in view. The story is replete with material both comic and tragic, and is played by the one motion picture star who can give the part all its full value of charm and humor will afford supreme entertainment.

COLUMBIA PRESENTS "TARZAN OF THE APES"

Film Version of Edgar Rice Burroughs' Famous Story

Demonstrating in a most vital fashion the fact that stars and over-paid names are not essential to the success of a film, the production of "Tarzan of the Apes," which will be shown at the Columbia this week, is being held up to the "bad movie men" as the good example of excellent showmanship.

The unusual film of Edgar Rice Burroughs' story was produced by the National Film Corporation with the definite idea of placing before the fans every dollar that was invested, to the tune of \$200,000, shown on the screen.

Enid Markey, Elmo Lincoln, Gordon Griffith, Bessie Toner, George French, Kathleen Kirkham, Thomas Jefferson, True Boardman and Jack Wilson—all practically new figures, in so far as being featured in an immense picture play—are the principal personalities, and then in support are others comparatively as little known to the average playgoer, and they are standing them up at every performance.

"Tis a peculiar picture, this "Tarzan of the Apes." Lions in combat with men, Leopards and jaguars attacking human beings, Apes and gorillas in fierce and primeval struggles. Killing lions before the camera eye. Raiding a cannibal village, with an elephant or two taking the lead in the attack.

And interwoven are three romances. Three contrasting love stories which are flashed back to and fro with remarkable frequency, yet which dovetail into the tale with a picturesque intensity.

The picture was made in the jungles of Brazil far up the dreaded Amazon River, where the primeval jungles, fungus overgrown and overrun with deadly snakes and insects, afforded the most remarkable atmospheric background imaginable. And the fact that a story though by many to be impossible of transposition to the screen turns out to be one of the biggest hits in years, proves again the lack of foresight on somebody's part.

SPLENDID PROGRAMME AT PRINCESS THEATRE

"Private Secretary" Is Delighting Audiences Every Evening

It is the unanimous verdict of those who attended the opening performances of "The Private Secretary" which Mr. R. N. Hincks and his merry band of players, that they are producing at the above theatre a wonderful production. Mr. R. N. Hincks as the Rev. Robert Spalding, the "Real" Private Secretary is splendid, whilst Lieut. R. R. Webb as Cattermole is enjoying a veritable triumph. In fact every member of the talented company is nightly securing the well-earned plaudits of the delighted audience. There is not a flaw in the whole production the players entering into the spirit of the play with a verve and zest that makes for enthusiasm, laughter and success. "The Private Secretary" will continue to run for the whole of the present week and none should miss witnessing one of the cleverest humorous and enjoyable entertainments that has ever been offered for the public's amusement.

STARS GOING SOUTH.

Charlie Chaplin and Douglas Fairbanks are to start on a journey in the early fall which will take them to South America. They have both been invited to make pictures in the southern hemisphere and are going to take advantage of the offer, leaving here some time in October. Travelling first to Rio de Janeiro they will get some Brazilian scenes and then will depart with bag and baggage for Buenos Aires, later leaving the Argentine for the western coast of Chile, probably headquarters in Santiago. Their expedition will cover from four to six months—all depending on the weather conditions.

DIDN'T MEAN TO BE RUDE.

A pompous old gentleman was having his portrait painted. It was to be given him as a present. After sitting for an hour in silence, he thought

he would break the monotony with a remark. "How are you getting along?" he inquired. To his astonishment, the artist, absorbed in his work, replied: "Move your head a little to the right and shut your mouth." Not being accustomed to such treatment, the sitter asked: "May I

ask why you address me in this manner?" The artist, still absorbed in his work, replied: "I want to take off a little of your cheek!"—Tit-Bits.

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WILL RESUME WORK ON BULLION MINES

R. T. Ward Expresses His Opinion of Recent Famous Lawsuit

The decision in the recent Bullion suit was what I always expected," said R. T. Ward, the successful litigant, who is at the Dominion Hotel for the first time since the suit before the Privy Council ended in his favor.

Mr. Ward told The Times that the intention is to organize for active operations next year. "It is already too late," he said "to do very much this year. The property of course has run down while the work was suspended. As you know it was sold by the Government to cease operation in the 1914-5 season, and since then the plant has deteriorated. Flumes and channels will have to be renewed before the thing can be started again. I expect to have one hundred men working next year, and will have plenty to do."

The Bullion, at Quenel Forks, which was the subject of the Ward-Hopp case, has been one of the most famous producers in the Cariboo. Mr. Ward says he has already received congratulations from mining men and mining journals all over the Cariboo, and that the result will have a steady influence in directing mining capital here. "Claim jumping," he remarked, "is no more popular in the Cariboo than it is in the rest of the world. I never had any personal doubt of the result, the effect of taking advantage of a technicality on the mining industry, if upheld in the courts, would have destroyed confidence in mining ventures for all time."

The prospects for the big proposed concentrator of the Consolidated Mining and Smelting Company of Canada, Limited, being erected in Rossland, loom big just now, says The Rossland Miner.

Surveys are being made in connection with the proposition of placing the plant there and data necessary is being gathered to lay before the proper officials.

It appears Rossland is the logical place for the big mill and that ample water supply is certain. The latter problem, however, has not been fully determined, as the heavy rains of late delayed the investigation into this phase of the proposition.

However, those familiar with the water situation say that Rossland can satisfy the company as regards the amount of water required that there is almost a sufficient quantity available through some additions to the city supply to give the quantity required, and that there should be no obstacle as far as this part of the investigation goes.

Everything now points to the coming of the mill to Rossland and that real activity along construction lines will be noticed ere long.

Rosslanders appear to have taken a new lease on life since the fact became known that the company was considering Rossland as a place for the concentrator, and optimism is to be encountered everywhere.

Bayonne Camp.

According to prospectors in from Bayonne, there is considerable doing on that section, according to The Nelson News.

many individual specimens of ore will be shown. The Britannia and Granby companies will have a large exhibit of copper ores. The Surf Inlet Mine will show gold ore; the Drum Lummon Mine, copper and gold; the Hedley Mines, gold; Bowena Mines, copper, while the Consolidated Mining & Smelting Company will send a big educational exhibit. In the machinery of the exhibit the Chamber of Mines is gathering there will be complete smelter plant which will give two demonstrations daily, a flotation machine, a concentration plant run by water power, a portable sawmill for use by mining companies, rock drills, air hose, etc. All of these machines will be seen in actual operation daily during the exhibition.

Standard Silver Lead.

The Standard Silver Lead Mining Company doubled its milling operations on August 1, when work was placed on a two-shift basis, says a Silverton, B.C. report. The increase is made to handle the increased quantity of zinc ore being broken. The mill will receive 100 to 150 tons daily.

Trail Shipments.

The Consolidated Mining and Smelting Company received 9,529 tons of ore in the last eleven days of July, according to a report from Trail, B.C. This is comparable with 6,000 to 7,000 tons in the last ten days of other recent months.

Index Mine.

"We expect to be shipping ore from the Index mine on the south fork of Kaslo Creek by the last of September," says E. J. Edwards, manager. "The vein is from six inches to forty-two inches wide and carries silver values of \$100 to \$323 to the ton and 45 to 75 per cent lead. I think we will be able to ship from five to seven carloads of high grade ore between now and Christmas."

Silver Bell, Kaslo.

Silver, ounces, 237.4; lead, per cent, 31.1; zinc, per cent, 7.1. These are the smelter returns on a carload of thirty-six tons of ore, shipped from the Silver Bell Mine on the south fork of Kaslo Creek to Trail smelter. They represent the average contents per ton for the whole carload. This is the second carload of rich silver lead ore which has been shipped from the Silver Bell Mine this season. The first carload ran nearly as high. The heavy silver lead contents with the small percentage of zinc, make the ore excellent from a smelting viewpoint, as there is sufficient percentage of iron and silica in the ore to provide a credit which partly offsets the zinc penalty. The Silver Bell is being operated by R. F. Green, M.P., and Senator Clive Pringle, of Ottawa, under the management of W. E. Newton. They also have a bond on the Silver Bear group adjoining.

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PERSONAL EXPERIENCE.

Mr. Jones was in the habit of attending meetings which often detained him after the usual hour of retirement.

One night he was exceedingly late, and his wife, after fretting herself into a temper, went to bed, determined to give her husband a lesson.

When she had been upstairs about ten minutes she heard a knock. Putting her head out of the window, she said:

"Is that you, Tom?"

"Yes, Kate. Come and open the door."

"What has kept you so late?" asked his wife.

"We have been discussing the great benefits of fresh air," was the reply.

"Well," said his better half, "you can lecture to-morrow night from experience."

And down the window went with a bang.—TIT-BITS.

While two men were fishing together one fell in, and the other, after great efforts, succeeded in hauling him out insensable.

Scratching his head, he said audibly to himself: "There are sixteen rules for the treatment of drowned people, but hanged if I can remember one of them!"

"Is there one about whisky?" asked the half-drowned man, quietly.

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LOCAL SWIMMERS GARNER TWO MORE PROVINCIAL TITLES

Exciting Races at Foundation Swimming Club Gala—Other Attractions Reduced Attendance

The Victoria Amateur Swimming Club carried off premier honors at the Foundation Swimming Club gala at the Gorge Saturday, two provincial championships and a city championship being won by representatives of the club. Edna Currie proved the star swimmer for the shipbuilders, carrying off the title for the schools championship for girls under fifteen years. The versatile young swimmer also swam third in the 100 yards ladies' breast stroke race.

There was a good entry for the events, although the attendance was spoiled through other attractions on the city Saturday. Jack McNeil for the half-mile and Earl Squire in the diving won provincial championship honors. McNeil had little difficulty in carrying off the honor, having finished the distance when Marshall, his club mate and the second man to finish, had made the turn for the last lap of fifty yards. Audrey Griffin, who was placed fourth, swam well, following Brydon Jack, the lone Vancouver entry, closely.

The Victoria Amateur Swimming Club again demonstrated that they are well to the fore in swimming and diving.

In the boys under 15 years, Langton Plumb was an easy winner, Jack Clyde making a hard try for second place, but could not last the pace, so had to be content with third.

The girls under 15 years was quite an exciting event, Miss K. Wellburn and Miss E. Currie, (Foundation) having a close race for first place, this race had to be swum over again, owing to Miss Currie accidentally obstructing the V. A. S. C. swimmer. In the swim off Miss Currie won out, Miss Flo Gates got third place in this race.

The half mile championship of British Columbia was easily won by Jack McNeil. He was never really troubled. His club mate, "Tiny" Marshall, was a good second, beating Brydon Jack, of Vancouver. Jack swam a good race, and seems to be getting back in his pre-war form again.

In the ladies' events, 100 yards breast stroke, Miss Audrey Griffin, of the V. A. S. C. finished first; Miss Rosie Robertson getting second place ahead of Miss Currie. In the plunge for ladies, Miss Rosie Robertson and Miss Gladie Wellburn got second and third place respectively. Miss Muriel Daniels, a clever young representative of the V. A. S. C. taking first place.

Results were as follows:
Boys under 12 (25 yards)—J. K. Derbyshire, Foundation; J. K. Kipman, V. A. S. C.; S. L. Wagstaff, V. A. S. C.

Girls under 12 (25 yards)—J. Jennie Wilson (Foundation); D. L. Lea, V. A. S. C.; J. E. Bishop, Foundation. Time, 23 seconds.

Tub race—1, Buck Calder, V. A. S. C.; 2, B. Muir, Foundation; 3, Jack Clyde, V. A. S. C. Time, 35 1-5 seconds.

Half mile—1, Jack McNeil, V. A. S. C.; 2, Jack Marshall, V. A. S. C.; 3, Brydon Jack, Vancouver; 4, Audrey Griffin, V. A. S. C. Time, 14 minutes and 43 seconds.

Girls under 15 (50 yards)—1, E. Currie, Foundation; 2, N. Wellburn, V. A. S. C.; 3, F. Currie, Foundation; 4, B. C. diving championship—1, Earl Squire, V. A. S. C.

Canoe tilting—1, Calder and Muir; 2, Grubb and Wagstaffe. 100 yards (ladies) breast—1, A. Griffin, V. A. S. C.; 2, R. Robertson, V. A. S. C.; 3, E. Currie, Foundation. Time, 1 minute 35 2-5 seconds.

Plunge for distance (men)—1, Calder, V. A. S. C.; 2, Woodley; 3, McCabe, V. A. S. C.

Plunge for distance (ladies)—1, M. Daniels, V. A. S. C.; 2, G. Wellburn, V. A. S. C.; 3, R. Robertson, V. A. S. C.

Soccer opens in the old country

First Games Played in 1919-20 Scottish Football League Season

Glasgow Aug. 18 (Canadian Associated Press)—Following are the results of the opening games in the 1919-20 Scottish Football League season. All games were played on the grounds of the first-mentioned clubs.

Airdrians, 0; Rangers, 1. Patrick Thistles, 1; Morton, 1. St. Mirren, 2; Hamilton Academical, 0.

Thistle Lanark, 2; Ibroxians, 0. Kilmarnock, 2; Clyde, 1. Dumbarton, 1; Ayr United, 0. Falkirk, 4; Raith Rovers, 1. Aberdeen, 2; Albion Rovers, 0. Celtic, 3; Clydebank, 1. Hearts, 3; Queen's Park, 1.

London, Aug. 18 (Reuters)—In the Davis Cup match Prince beat Belgium 6-2, 6-3, 6-4; Laurentz beat Lammens, 5-7, 6-6, 6-4, 6-2; Deag and Laurentz, of France, beat Deag and Lammens, 6-3, 7-5, 6-2.

Cornwall, Ont., Aug. 17.—Before the largest crowd seen at a lacrosse match this season, Cornwall defeated Ottawa on Saturday by 14 goals to three, and thus strengthened their hold on the leadership of the league.

AMATEUR BASEBALL READY FOR PLAYOFF

Local League Leaders Dig Up More Pep For Final Series

Now that the senior amateur baseball series has been wound up, the fans just naturally "roll their eyes" over into the middle of this week. Then the first of the play-off games will be on the docket between the Foundations and the Strath-Two Jacks to see which of the city teams is really to wear the championship crown.

Three Game Series. Three games are to be played in this series—one Wednesday, August 20, at 6:30 o'clock; one Saturday, August 23, at 1:00 p.m.; and the final Wednesday, August 27, at 6:30 p.m. The baseball interest for the year, so far as strictly local affairs are concerned, will be at its height for these games. They will be contested to the last ditch. Not only is the city championship in the offing, but the B. C. championship is well within the grasp of the series will meet Vancouver to determine which team shall wear the smile of satisfaction. Frank Moore, who is not worn down to the point of defeat, has said to have cut the odds favoring the shipyarders considerably.

Speed and Experience. The Two Jacks are depending on speed and old heads to bring home the bacon. The two boys they tried out on the mound last Saturday qualify both ways. Don Bever and Bill Crocker tone up the layout quite a bit. Crocker has just returned from Victoria. He is not worn down to the point of defeat, has said to have cut the odds favoring the shipyarders considerably.

Victoria Four Were Favorites Until a Rowlock Loosened

Vancouver, Aug. 18.—Vancouver won two of the three major events in the inter-club regatta off the Wigwag Inn, Indian River, Saturday, capturing the doubles and singles, but the star event, the four-oared race, went to Portland's husky crew. Victoria were regarded as favorites for the four, and were putting up a great contest, when one of the rowlocks on the lapstrake loosened, and they could not get back into the race sufficiently to make the finish interesting.

Portland was represented in the fours by E. A. Stevens, L. H. Mills, E. Holmes and J. H. McDonald. Victoria by R. Travis, W. S. Day, J. E. Wickson and J. Y. Simpson, and Vancouver by H. L. Bird, A. C. Black, A. Marliacher and A. Kayall.

The time for the mile and a half was 5:10. T. A. H. Taylor and H. A. Francis won the doubles from the Bendroit boys of Victoria, and Gregory and Hayley, of Portland, by a wide margin.

A. Marliacher won the singles.

SUNDAY'S BASEBALL

American League.
At Cleveland—R. H. E.
New York..... 6 12 0
Cleveland..... 2 7 0
At Chicago—R. H. E.
Philadelphia..... 1 5 1
Chicago..... 3 5 0
At Detroit—R. H. E.
Washington..... 4 16 3
Detroit..... 2 7 0
At St. Louis—First game—R. H. E.
Boston..... 2 7 0
St. Louis..... 9 9 1
Batteries—Bath and Schang; Botheron and Severid.

Second game—R. H. E.
Boston..... 6 15 0
St. Louis..... 2 1 4
Batteries—Pennock and Schang; eroid.

International League.
Baltimore, 12-4; Rochester, 2-1. (Second game, 2 innings by agreement). Toronto-Trinidad postponed, rain. Buffalo, 10-4; Jersey City, 6-3. Birmingham, 6-3; Newark, 1-5.

National League.
At Brooklyn—R. H. E.
Cincinnati..... 3 10 0
Brooklyn..... 3 10 0
Batteries—Sallee, Luque and Rariden; Smith and Miller.

Chicago-New York game postponed, wet grounds.
Only two games scheduled.

American Association.
Columbus, 2-3; Minneapolis, 2-2. Indianapolis, 2-1; St. Paul, 6-6. Louisville, 4-5; Milwaukee, 3-6. Toledo, 11; Kansas City, 9.

STANDING OF THE LEAGUES.

Pacific Coast League.
Won. Lost. Pct.
Vernon..... 76 52 .593
Los Angeles..... 76 52 .592
Salt Lake..... 67 63 .558
San Francisco..... 64 64 .500
Sacramento..... 59 62 .483
Oakland..... 60 69 .466
Portland..... 54 71 .432
Seattle..... 78 56

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Fanny Durack Beaten by New York Swimmer in 440 Yards Race

New York, Aug. 18.—Fanny Durack, women's swimming champion of Australia, suffered the first defeat of her career at Manhattan Beach Saturday afternoon, finishing third in the 440-yard American Athletic Union championship contest. The race was won by Ethel Bleibrey, Women's Swimming Association of New York, in six minutes thirty and one-fifth seconds, a new American record.

Miss Wilhelmina Wylie, who was touring the country with Miss Durack, also succumbed to the American swimmers in the 100-yard handicap finishing fourth.

The race was won by Leslie Bunyan, Women's Swimming Association of New York, who was given a handicap of eleven seconds. The time was one minute nineteen and two-fifths seconds.

Both Miss Durack and Miss Bleibrey had expected to enter the 100-yard handicap, but were so exhausted by the first race that they withdrew.

In the semi-finals for the Peace Bowl donated by the Civil Service members of the Victoria Bowling Club McKeachie beat McCosh, 21-20, and Bromley defeated Cashmore, 21-24. The final game was won from Bromley by McKeachie in a very closely fought game by a score of 21-20, after playing twenty-six ends. Several of the games required over the usual twenty-one ends to secure the 21 points necessary to declare the winner. The game between McCosh and McKeachie, acquired thirty ends.

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LEAGUE LEADERS EASILY DEFEATED

Albion Cricketers Beat Victoria by 138 Runs to 54 Saturday

Victories were obtained easily in the league cricket games Saturday, not one fixture providing an exciting finish. Points were obtained by the Inco's, Congregational, Foundation and the Albions. Scores were as follows:

Congregational's First Innings.
Davis, c Watson, b Westwood..... 6
Farris, b May..... 21
Cox, b Westwood..... 2
Austin, b Westwood..... 2
H. Lock, b Westwood..... 0
Adams, c Taylor, b Turner..... 18
Mayne, lbw, b Tucker..... 0
Gardier, b May..... 13
Sweetlands, b Westwood..... 9
Farris, not out..... 0
Davenport, b Westwood..... 0
Extras..... 12
Total..... 158

Five C's First Innings.
Tucker, run out..... 0
Pearce, b Lock..... 10
May, c Cox, b Lock..... 7
Taylor, c and b Davies..... 7
Watson, run out..... 3
Lockmar, b Davies..... 0
Westwood, not out..... 27
Lea, b Lock..... 3
Payne, c Austin, b Gardier..... 10
Tucker, lbw, b Gardier..... 0
Tucker, b Mayne..... 6
Extras..... 6
Total..... 79

Bowling Analysis.
Congo's First Innings—O. W. R.
Westwood..... 18.1 6 41
Lea..... 5 2 24
Tucker..... 5 2 24
May..... 5 2 24
Five C's First Innings—
Davies..... 8 2 38
Lock..... 7 3 28
Mayne..... 1.2 1 2
Gardier..... 1 2 1
Foundation Wanderers—First Innings.
W. Ferguson, b Oliver..... 1
J. J. Bradford, run out..... 6
M. Copping, c Gilham, b Sutton..... 29
Geo. Wells, b Sutton..... 9
A. Foulds, hit wicket, b Sutton..... 28
F. Rogers, c Gilham, b Sutton..... 16
J. E. Chipper, b Sutton..... 1
F. Lines, not out..... 7
E. Verrall, c Hinks, b Sutton..... 0
L. Woodhouse, b Leeming..... 1
W. Speak, c Booth, b Sutton..... 2
Extras..... 4
Total..... 98

Christ Church—First Innings.
Sutton, b Verrall..... 15
Oliver, c Verrall, b Verrall..... 1
Gilham, c Lines, b Verrall..... 2
R. Lea, b Wells..... 0
Leeming, c Foulds, b Wells..... 9
Booth, b Verrall..... 1
Hinks, c Verrall..... 0
Beeston, b Wells..... 2
Shipway, not out..... 0
Gilder, absent, hurt..... 0
Extras..... 1
Total..... 31

Christ Church—Second Innings.
Sutton, b Hogarth..... 20
Sutton, c Bradford, b Hogarth..... 0
Gilham, c Verrall, b Hogarth..... 0
R. Lea, b Foulds..... 11
Leeming, c Lines, b Speak..... 11
Booth, c Chipper, b Foulds..... 0
Hinks, not out..... 3
Beeston, b Speak..... 2
Shipway, c Wells, b Copping..... 9
Extras..... 3
Total..... 53

Bowling Analysis.
Wanderers—First Innings—
P. Oliver..... 5 1 47
Leeming..... 7 3 34
Christ Church—First Innings—
Wells..... 5 2 24
Verrall..... 2 4 15
Christ Church—Second Innings—
Foulds..... 5 2 24
Copping..... 4 1 15
Verrall..... 3 2 3
Hogarth..... 2 2 2

Inco's.
H. H. Allen, b Hanson..... 64
Kinch, c Greeneslade, b Hanson..... 52
A. F. Thomas, b Hanson..... 14
G. H. Liffon, lbw, b Attwell..... 14
H. T. Hewitt, not out..... 5
R. G. Denman, not out..... 5
Extras..... 17
Total..... 174

Foundation Ramblers.
N. Hanson, at Kinch, b Tracey..... 4
W. J. Chappell, b Tracey..... 1
A. Attwell, b Sparks..... 1
McGhie, b Tracey..... 1
F. Rawnsley, b Tracey..... 14
J. Sherman, b Tracey..... 3
G. Plinton, b Sparks..... 0
L. V. Greeneslade, b Tracey..... 1
W. Ashworth, b Tracey..... 0
Extras..... 5
Total..... 20

Bowling Analysis.
Inco's..... 11 0 28
Sherman..... 9 0 21
Chappell..... 14 1 66
Attwell..... 6 0 10
Rawnsley..... 2 0 7
Hanson..... 10 3 24
Ramblers..... 0 0 0
Sparks..... 6 2 11
Tracey..... 52 7 14
Total..... 8

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GRAND TRUNKS WIN CONNAUGHT TROPHY

Beat Winnipeg War Veterans in Final for Canadian Title, 1-0

Montreal, Aug. 17.—Showing better generalship and playing more finished football, Grand Trunks won the Connaught Cup and the soccer championship of the Dominion by defeating Great War Veterans of Winnipeg in the final game at the Westmount grounds of the M. A. A. on Saturday afternoon by 1 to 0. This, with the 2-1 victory scored over the Veterans in the first game of the finals at the National grounds on Thursday last, gave Grand Trunks their victory over the Veterans by a grand total of 3 to 1 on the series.

The double victory of the Grand Trunks was a demonstration of their superiority and generalship, as they outplayed their visitors in both games, leaving no doubt as to their victory for the coveted honors. By winning these games Grand Trunks established soccer history, as they are the first to ever bring the cup to the East since it was first donated and the game played on Saturday set a new attendance record for soccer in the Dominion of Canada.

Four thousand seven hundred persons paid admission to the Westmount grounds, while the gate receipts amounted to \$2,050, which is far in advance of the previous record.

Well on time, Referee Roberts lined the men up to give them the usual warning, after which he started play in a soccer game that will long live in the memory of those who witnessed it. Grand Trunks won the toss and elected to play with the sun in their faces, which would give them the advantage in the closing minutes of play. Ashmore kicked off for the Veterans, and started the first attack on the

Trunks and the first period was more stubbornly fought out than the second and was a scoreless one, which, in the second half, Grand Trunks assured their victory by scoring the only goal of the match.

VICTORIA PIGEON CLUB.
The Victoria Racing Pigeon Club held their first young bird race of the season from Tacoma, a distance of 90 miles, last Saturday. The birds were liberated at 11 a. m. and homed as follows:

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1. W. Simpson..... 1 37 42 1,016.55
2. D. Douglas..... 1 39 57 1,012.13
3. F. Bosman..... 1 38 48 998.06
4. W. Bryan..... 1 40 42 985.68
5. T. Crossman..... 1 48 13 943.79
6. F. Smith..... 1 47 52 942.23
7. F. Mellor..... 2 7 2 824.50
8. J. White..... 2 23 13 716.17
9. J. Black..... 2 42 42 712.79

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NOTICE TO CREDITORS.

In the Matter of the Creditors Trust Deeds Act,
and
In the Matter of William A. Smith and Hannah Wall, Carrying on Business Together in Partnership Under the Name of the Windsor Grocery, Merchants, Insolvents.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that the said William A. Smith and Hannah Wall, carrying on business as Grocers at the City of Victoria, in the Province of British Columbia, have made an assignment under the Creditors Trust Deeds Act of all their assets, credits and effects, to me, Percy Wollaston, of No. 155 Herald Street, Victoria, B. C., Assignee for the general benefit of their creditors.

A meeting of the creditors will be held at the Office of Wilson Bros., in the City of Victoria aforesaid on Monday, the 18th day of August, A. D. 1919, at the hour of 4 o'clock in the afternoon, to receive a statement of affairs, and for the giving of directions with reference to the disposal of the estate.

Creditors are requested to file their claims with the Assignee, with proof and particulars as required by the said Act, on or before the date of such meeting.

AND NOTICE IS FURTHER GIVEN that after the said 15th day of August, A. D. 1919, the Assignee will proceed to distribute the assets of the estate among the parties entitled thereto, having regard only to the claims of which notices shall then have been given and that he will not be liable for the claims of any party thereof so distributed to any person or persons of whom claims he will not then have had notice.

Dated at Victoria, B. C., this 11th day of August, A. D. 1919.

PERCY WOLLASTON,
Assignee.

No. 6787.

RE ESTATE WM. MORTON, DECEASED.

Tenders addressed to the undersigned will be received up to noon of the 25th instant for the following property: Lot 28, subdiv. part section 88, Victoria District, located on Wolsey Avenue, half a block from Powell Bay car line, Fairfield Road; Lot 9, Block 56, Ferrywood Estate, located on Bay Street, half a block from Richmond Avenue car line. Tenders will be received for one or both lots. Terms on application to the undersigned.

J. G. BROWN,
Administrator.

Phones 173 and 2147R. P.O. Box 628.

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PURCHASE OF COAL RIGHTS BRITISH GOVERNMENT PLAN

(Continued from page 1.)

without recovering any maintaining our international trade. We must bring up the trade balance, adding to our exports and lessening our imports.

Great Advances.
"We have advanced some £4,000,000 to the world from which we are getting something like £200,000,000 yearly in interest. We have

BIRTHS, MARRIAGES, AND DEATHS

BORN.
MEHARRY—At 15 Howe Street, on 18th August, to Mr. and Mrs. A. A. Meharry, a daughter.

DIED.
MARSH—On August 15, 1919, Amy E. Marsh, beloved wife of Victor Henry Marsh, of 855 Commercial Street, aged 32 years, born United States.

The remains are resting at the B. C. Funeral Chapel, 734 Broughton Street, from whence the funeral will take place on Tuesday, August 19, at 2 p. m. Interment will be made in Ross Bay Cemetery.

ARTHUR HEMINGWAY

Instructed by Mr. G. Gaetz, 1456 Gladstone Avenue, will sell by Public Auction.

Wednesday, Aug. 20th, 2 p. m.

Household Furniture

Including: Oak Dressers, White En. Dresser, Bedsteads, Springs and Mattresses, Bedding, Carpets, Mission Oak Arm Chairs, up in leather, Dining and Centre Table, 6 Din. Chairs, Oak Buffet, Rocker, Couch, C. Chairs and Table, Victoria Range Heater, and all Household Utensils. Further particulars, apply.

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Preliminary Announcement

NOTICE

Thursday, August 28

2 p. m.

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Mr. J. McPherson

Chelsea Ranch, William Head who is leaving for the Old Country, all his fine flock of Southdown and Oxford Down Ewes and Rams, Horses, Chickens, Buggy, Harness, Scotch Collie Dog, some Household Furniture, etc. Further particulars later, or apply Auctioneer.

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AUCTIONEERS

Sale of Property and Cottage

Instructed by the Owner, we will sell, on the premises, 3103 Washington Avenue, on

Wednesday, 2 p. m.

Lot 72.2 x 192 feet, and 3-Room Cottage.

House has been painted and renovated, contains 2 bedrooms and kitchen, with sink and water, electric lights. Also on property, large hen-house, shed and chicken run. The lot is part of Lot 9 of Sec. 4, Burnside Ex. of the Work Estate, and is 72.2 feet x 192 feet. The soil on this property cannot be equalled for garden purposes. The place is now rented, and can be seen by appointment only, or will be open from 1 o'clock until 2 on day of sale. Terms of sale, half cash and balance inside of two years at 7 per cent. Any further particulars from

MAYNARD & SONS, Auctioneers, 726 View Street.

PUBLIC NOTICE.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN of the filing of plans for the laying of three submarine telephone cables across the Inner Harbor in Victoria, B. C., between points located approximately 80 feet north of the centre line of the proposed Johnson Street Bridge and the Wharf of the Marine and Fisheries Department Depot, respectively.

It is proposed to proceed with this work thirty (30) days after the first publication of this notice.

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DECLARE CELLULOSE REPORT WHITEWASH

London Daily News Not Satisfied With Commission's Report

London, Aug. 18.—The Daily News, in a series of articles, which a year ago was largely responsible for the inquiry into the British Cellulose Company's operations, says that the report of the commission, just made public, is the first public explanation of a great deal in the negotiations between the company and the state which required publicity.

Under the caption "Whitewash" the Daily News expresses surprise that the three judges declare the absence of any explanation why the shares which were fixed at six pence, should not concern them.

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DECLARE CELLULOSE REPORT WHITEWASH

London Daily News Not Satisfied With Commission's Report

London, Aug. 18.—The Daily News, in a series of articles, which a year ago was largely responsible for the inquiry into the British Cellulose Company's operations, says that the report of the commission, just made public, is the first public explanation of a great deal in the negotiations between the company and the state which required publicity.

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RADICAL CHANGES PLANNED IN CHURCH

American Episcopal Church Commission on Prayer Book Makes Proposals

New York, Aug. 18.—Radical changes in the service of the Episcopal Church of the United States are provided for in a report made public here to-day of the church's commission on the Revision and Enrichment of the Book of Common Prayer, to be submitted to the General Convention of the Church in October.

The report makes provision for faith healing, anointing with holy oils, requiem communions and prayers for the dead; reservation of the sacrament and intinction, the latter being the use of a dipped wafer instead of the common communion cup. There are a score of radical proposals and better recovery is looked for over them on the Conference floor. The Commission, constituted in 1913, is a joint body acting with the authority of both the House of Bishops and the House of Deputies of the Episcopal Church.

Recommendations.
The recommendations for changes in Episcopal Church practices include:

Elimination from the marriage ceremony of the word "obey" for the bride and "with all my worldly goods I thee endow" for the groom.

Prayers for the dead.

Change of the name of Whitsunday to the Day of Pentecost, and all Sundays from then until Advent to read as Sundays after Pentecost.

Abbreviation of the Ten Commandments at the option of the clergy (their language not altered, but certain explanatory or opposite statements eliminated).

Alteration of the order for administration of the Lord's Supper in its designation to read: "The Divine Liturgy, being the order for the Lord's Supper or Holy Eucharist, commonly called the Holy Communion."

Salvador Guards Against Fever

San Salvador, Aug. 18.—The San Salvador Board of Health has prohibited passenger traffic into Salvador from the Honduran ports of San Lorenzo and Amapala, owing to the prevalence of yellow fever in these ports.

TO-DAY'S TRADING ON WINNIPEG MARKET

Winnipeg, Aug. 18.—Cattle closed 1% lower for October; 1% lower for December and 1% lower for May.

Barley closed 1% lower for October and December.

Flax closed 1% lower for October, 1% lower for December and 1% lower for May.

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SPONSOR WATCHED SHIP EXCEED CONTRACT SPEED

On Her Trials This Morning the French Steamer Ontario Averaged 12.38 Knots—Runs Over Parry Bay Course Were Most Uniform

Very consistent speed was made by the wooden steamship Ontario on her trial runs this morning over the Parry Bay course. The French steamship averaged 12.38 knots, the maximum variation in time for the six trips over the course being four seconds. The speeds attained on each run were 12.41 knots, time 4 min. 50 sec.; 12.28 knots, time 4 min. 53 sec.; 12.41 knots, time 4 min. 50 sec.; 12.45 knots, time 4 min. 49 sec.; 12.37 knots, time 4 min. 51 sec.; 12.37 knots, 4 min. 51 sec. The average revolutions per minute were 130.

Mrs. Edw. E. Jenkins, wife of the assistant Northwest manager of the Foundation Company, and sponsor of the Ontario, accompanied by Master Dick Jenkins, went out on the trial cruise and expressed her pleasure at the fine performance of the ship. The trial was carried out under the most excellent conditions. Running towards William Head the vessel bucked a stiff breeze but the time made against the wind compared most favorably with the speed attained in heading in the opposite direction, with the wind in her favor.

Everett Engines. The engines, supplied by the Sumner Iron Works, of Everett, worked satisfactorily throughout the exhaustive tests.

The Ontario left Ogden Point at 8 o'clock and returned to her berth on the completion of her trials at 1 o'clock this afternoon. Among those who took the trip were: Edw. E. Jenkins, assistant Northwest manager of the Foundation Company; Mrs. Jenkins, Master Dick Jenkins, W. G. Winterburn, local representative of the Bureau Veritas; H. Barnett, hull surveyor for the Bureau Veritas; J. H. Hodgson, mechanical expert for the Bureau Veritas; Alex. Watchman and Capt. Leon Raymond, master of the Winnipeg. Capt. T. J. Jackson, port captain for the Foundation Company, was in charge of the ship, and Capt. Charles Harris, went out as pilot.

Chief Engineer Thomas, representing the French Government in the absence of Emile E. Trigueux, assisted on the trials. The ship was accompanied by the tug Edna Grace.

Canada is Next. The next ship to undergo her trials will be the Canada, which will be equipped with Hutzsch engines. The builders predict that the Canada will equal if not exceed that of the Winnipeg, which averaged 13.52 knots. The Winnipeg will leave port on Friday for Nanaimo to load lumber and will then return to Victoria to load lumber for her maiden trip to Europe.

CHOLBERG PEOPLE ENJOY BIG PICNIC

Workers and Families Spend a Joyous Day in the Open at Deep Bay

Leaving behind their hive of industry at Mud Bay, the workers of the Cholberg shipyard, accompanied by their wives, children and sweethearts, journeyed to Deep Bay on Saturday and enjoyed a day of wholesome pleasure and sports besides which, as far as exercise is concerned, a shipyard day is fit treatment for invalids.

The first picnic of the Cholberg yard was a success in every way. Two hundred men, women and children left for the bay by the interurban line at 11 o'clock in the morning, and were joined by many other picnickers who had travelled in automobiles. Sports engaged everyone's attention during the afternoon, but not before a delicious luncheon had been served. Following the sports Mrs. Cholberg, wife of the head of the local yard, distributed the numerous prizes from an automobile.

Then tea was served under the trees and the merry-makers proceeded to the Chaiet, where they danced for two joyous hours, entertained by Mrs. Crosswell, the proprietress. Among the guests present were: Captain Hansen and Mrs. Hansen, Captain Markussen and Mrs. Markussen, Mr. and Mrs. Cholberg, and Captain Olsen.

The committee, to the efforts of which much of the picnic's success was due, was composed of the following: S. Managan, chairman; G. Watkins, secretary; and A. Dewar.

SHIPPING INTELLIGENCE

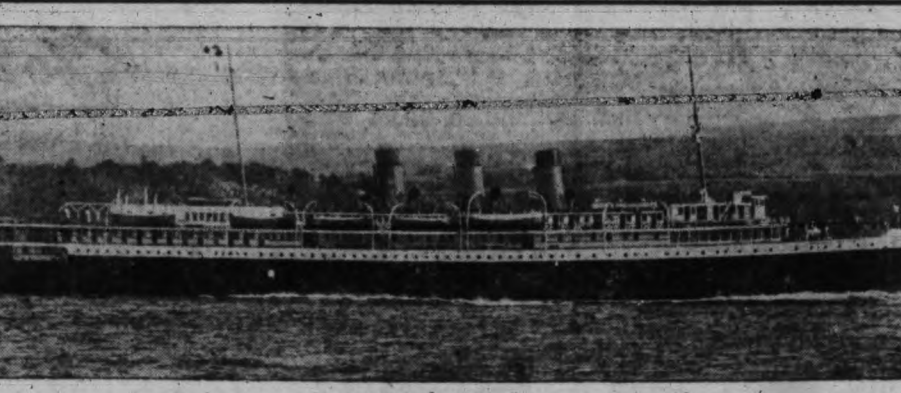
Steamer Arrivals. France, at New York from Havre; Calamand, at New York from Brest; Cape Pinister, at New York from Brest; President Grant, at New York from Brest; Montevideo, at New York from Barcelona; Calabria, at New York from Genoa; Maui, at Philadelphia from Brest; Patricia, at New York from Brest; Nieuw Amsterdam, at New York from Rotterdam; Brest, at Brest from Brest; Oscar II, at Copenhagen from New York; Rotterdam, at Rotterdam from New York.

NIAGARA AND MAKURA EXPECTED TO LEAVE SYDNEY FOR VICTORIA

Vancouver, Aug. 16.—The Canadian-Australasian Royal Mail offices announced this morning that the steamship Niagara is expected to sail from Sydney on August 21. Though no definite word has been received at the local offices as to the settlement of the strike it is understood that the Australian officers have given the information that the shipping situation is better and that actual hopes entertained that the vessel will leave as stated.

SS. Makura is expected to leave Sydney August 28 and be here September 18, sailing on September 23.

WILL BE DESPATCH BOAT TO B. BRITISH NAVY



PRINCESS MARGARET

WEEK OF CRICKET STARTED TO-DAY

Champions of Calgary League and Nanaimo Players Arrive Tuesday

Through the non-arrival of the Calgary and Nanaimo teams only three matches were started to-day in the week of cricket for the Great War Challenge Cup. The Garrison and Five C's at Work Point, Vancouver, and the Ingers and Congregationals at University School met to-day in the first round of the tournament.

St. John's cricket team, leaders of the Calgary League here, left yesterday for Victoria. The team is a well-balanced one and led by long odds in the league at Calgary.

Teams have been announced as follows: Garrison and Five C's; Garrison-Major Jukes, Capt. Allen, Lieut. Clark, Lieut. Lund, S. M. Wyndham, Sergt. Marchman, Q. M. S. Harper, Sergt. Westwood, Durling, Sergt. Jordan and Sergt. Tucker (Capt.).

Five C's—Pearce, R. V. Lee, Hines, Booth, Fletcher, Kirkham, Quainton, Ruffelle, Wilkinson, Payne, Tipper and Halliwell.

Vancouver Oils v. I. Zingari. I. Zingari—E. Parsons (Capt.), B. Freeman, H. A. Ismay, G. H. Walton, H. A. Goward, J. R. Matson, H. A. Tomlin, H. B. Hudson, J. C. Wilson, P. Welch and W. H. R. Robertson.

Ingers v. Congregationals. Ingers—To be chosen from J. Wenman, R. Wenman, F. A. Sparks, H. H. Allen, G. H. Liffon, F. A. Thomas, H. K. Kinch, A. G. Tracey, H. A. Collier, G. C. Grant, H. Seeley, E. R. Lock, H. F. Hewitt, C. C. Tunnard and L. H. Major.

Congregationals—G. Austin (Capt.), R. J. Ferris, S. Davies, H. Gardiner, B. Cox, P. Oliver, T. H. Mayne, P. Bosson, T. H. Worthington, W. Barton, F. Donaldson, Reserve, W. Davenport.

Garrison v. Five C's at Work Point. Score at 2.30, Five C's 39 for 1.

Vancouver Oils v. I. Zingari. At Beacon Hill Park—

Eaton-Shore, b. Hudson ... 25
Killeck, not out ... 18
Leigh, not out ... 15

Total for one wicket ... 46
Score at 2.40.

WILLIAM CUMMINGS, OF BRITISH LEGATION, STILL IS IN MEXICO CITY

London, Aug. 18.—The French and American consular representatives in Mexico City have protested against the order of the Mexican Government expelling William Cummings, in charge of the archives of the British Legation there, it was intimated in official circles to-day. The latest dispatches received here state that Mr. Cummings still remains in Mexico City.

TIMES SHIPPING GUIDE

OCEAN STEAMSHIPS

TO ARRIVE

Manila Maru, from Hongkong, August 15.

Arabia Maru, from Hongkong, August 16.

Katori Maru, from Hongkong, August 18.

Empress of Asia, from Hongkong, August 25.

Monteagle, from Hongkong, August 30.

TO DEPART

Katori Maru, for Hongkong, September 2.

COASTWISE SAILINGS

For Vancouver
Princess Charlotte leaves 2.30 p.m. daily.

Princess Adelaide or Princess Royal leaves 11.45 p.m. daily.

From Vancouver
Princess Adelaide or Princess Royal arrives 7 a.m. daily.

Princess Victoria arrives 3 p.m. daily.

For Seattle
Princess Victoria leaves 4.30 p.m. daily.

Sol Duc leaves 10.30 a.m. daily.

From Seattle
Sol Duc arrives 8.30 a.m. daily.

Princess Charlotte arrives 1.15 p.m. daily.

For Prince Rupert
Princess Rupert and Prince George alternating Sundays and Wednesdays, 10 a.m.

From Prince Rupert
Princess Rupert and Prince George alternating Sundays and Wednesdays, 7 a.m.

For San Francisco
President or Governor, alternating weekly, 8 a.m. Saturdays.

From San Francisco
President or Governor, alternating weekly, 2 p.m. Mondays.

For West Coast
Princess Maquinna leaves for Port Alice 1st, 10th and 20th of each month.

MUCH SPECULATION AS TO INTENTIONS OF DAVID RODGERS

Vancouver, Aug. 16.—Although David Rodgers, formerly general manager of the Skinker & Eddy yards at Seattle, refused to make any statement regarding his future movements, it is rumored among his friends that in all probability he will be associated with a big ship-building proposition here. Mr. Rodgers is going to leave for Europe early in September to take part in the World Shipbuilding Industries Conference in the Old Country. It is believed that this may result in a great quantity of business being given to the Pacific Coast. The organization with which Mr. Rodgers may be affiliated contemplates erecting a large yard on the north arm of the Fraser River. Two or three sites are being considered, and a decision as to the exact one will be made public shortly. The company is expected to construct large steel vessels of the standard freight type.

TIDE TABLE

	Time	Time	Time	Time	Time	Time	Time
1	h.m.f.	h.m.f.	h.m.f.	h.m.f.	h.m.f.	h.m.f.	h.m.f.
2	0.53	4.9	8.14	6.11	15.1	6.4	18.56
3	1.05	5.9	7.15	5.12	14.1	5.4	17.57
4	2.56	4.0	7.06	6.13	9.33	12.23	7.3
5	3.57	3.0	6.07	5.14	8.24	11.14	6.4
6	4.58	2.0	5.08	4.15	7.15	10.05	5.5
7	5.59	1.0	4.09	3.16	6.06	8.96	4.6
8	5.33	2.5	2.5	2.5	2.5	2.5	2.5
9	6.18	2.5	2.5	2.5	2.5	2.5	2.5
10	7.46	19.17	34.7	19.35	7.6		
11	0.08	8.1	8.12	18.22	7.5	20.16	7.1
12	1.43	8.2	8.23	2.06	27.4	21.42	6.9
13	1.43	8.2	8.23	2.06	27.4	21.42	6.9
14	3.42	7.9	7.58	2.16	46.7	25.29	6.5
15	3.42	7.9	7.58	2.16	46.7	25.29	6.5
16	4.57	6.9	6.59	2.31	39.0	24.79	6.1
17	1.24	3.3	8.62	6.51	14.0	18.12	8.1
18	2.28	2.7	2.7	2.7	2.7	2.7	2.7
19	2.28	2.7	2.7	2.7	2.7	2.7	2.7
20	4.28	2.0	2.0	2.0	2.0	2.0	2.0
21	5.24	1.8	1.8	1.8	1.8	1.8	1.8
22	7.06	19.16	0.2	7.18	17.5	23.02	6.6
23	0.06	8.3	7.61	2.45	22.7	20.14	6.6
24	2.08	7.7	9.49	1.35	44.7	21.43	6.3
25	3.06	7.4	9.48	1.46	38.7	21.37	6.5
26	3.06	7.4	9.48	1.46	38.7	21.37	6.5
27	6.18	6.6	10.51	1.37	17.0	19.9	6.9
28	6.18	6.6	10.51	1.37	17.0	19.9	6.9
29	0.53	2.5	2.5	2.5	2.5	2.5	2.5
30	0.53	2.5	2.5	2.5	2.5	2.5	2.5
31	0.53	2.5	2.5	2.5	2.5	2.5	2.5



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MINERAL PROSPECTING WITH DIVING SUIT

Mining Engineer Here Forecasts Its Use in Northern Manitoba

"The time will come in northern Manitoba, one of the most richly charged mineralized regions of this continent, when prospecting will be done with divers." This remarkable statement was made by Vaughan M. Lavery, mining engineer of Le Pas, Manitoba, who has recently returned from overseas service with a tunneling company, in discussing the subject with The Times.

Geological Situation.
Mr. Lavery was at the Empress Hotel last week, leaving for California on Saturday afternoon. He explained his remark with regard to the need of divers by stating that the area is largely a continuation of the zones of northern Ontario, and that glacial action has planed off the dolomite surface of the country. The secondary eruptive rocks have pressed up, opening cracks in the dolomite which has worn away in the ages, and the depressions have been filled with shallow lakes. Thus the mineralized stratification is continued from the shore to points in the lake bottom, which could be readily examined by prospectors in diving suits, according to Mr. Lavery.

Prospectors Few.
The main shortcoming in his opinion, of the district is the lack of prospectors. That is accounted for, he stated, by the absence of large producing mines. In areas where there are large mines prospectors have an opportunity of working part of the year for a grub-stake and then "foresick" about in the hills during the summer season. "Northern Ontario and British Columbia supply this opportunity," he said, "but not the area along the Hudson's Bay Railway."

Political Influence in Montreal, he says, is understood to check the completion of the laying of steel on the last ninety miles of the line. This, of course, checks transportation, and while the mines have very valuable ore bodies in sight, many tested out to get the ore out to the smelters. Ore is shipping by wagon and scow and rail to Trail, Smelter, from the district—a proof of the rich quality to stand the cost of so long a distance.

Mr. Lavery considers that in ten years the northern Manitoba section may be the richest mining area in North America.

He expects shortly to take up a position in Chile, in one of the mines situated in a valley in the Andes. He has already, before going overseas, been associated with the famous Cerro de Pasco mine in the Peruvian Andes, the highest mine in the world in point of altitude, over 15,000 feet above sea level.

The WEATHER

Daily Bulletin Furnished by the Victoria Meteorological Department.
Victoria, Aug. 18.—5 a. m.—The barometer remains high over this Province with a general high and fine weather in Central B. C. Fine weather also prevails in the prairie provinces.

Reports.
Victoria—Barometer, 30.10; temperature, maximum yesterday, 59; minimum, 52; wind, 16 miles S. W.; weather, clear.
Vancouver—Barometer, 30.10; temperature, maximum yesterday, 75; minimum, 58; wind, 4 miles E.; weather, clear.
Kamloops—Barometer, 29.94; temperature, maximum yesterday, 84; minimum, 52; wind, 4 miles W.; weather, clear.
Prince Rupert—Barometer, 30.02; temperature, maximum yesterday, 85; minimum, 54; wind, calm; weather, cloudy.
Tatsoo—Barometer, 30.14; temperature, maximum yesterday, 54; minimum, 50; wind, 4 miles S.; weather, cloudy.

Temperature. Max. Min.
Portland, Ore. 74 58
Seattle 70 54
San Francisco 66 54
Cranbrook 92 ..
Fenterton 88 ..
Calgary 88 54
Edmonton 84 52
Qu'Appelle 80 52
Winnipeg 78 ..
Toronto 78 ..
Ottawa 68 ..
Montreal 74 ..
Halifax 68 ..

NATIONALS LEADING AFTER EASY VICTORY

Montreal, Aug. 15.—Nationalists took first place in the N.L.U. race Saturday afternoon by defeating Caughnawaga Indians by 18 to 4 in a one-sided and uninteresting game. Nationals scored enough goals to win the game in the first period, when they tallied five times, holding the Indians down to a single score. In the second period Nationals scored twice, while in the third they literally ran away from their opponents and scored five goals in a row and held the Indians scoreless.

After shooting in four goals at the start of the final period, the Nationals eased up and the red men managed to gather in two goals.

MORE VICTIMS FOR THE VICTORIA STICKHANDLERS

Calgary, Alta., Aug. 17.—Invitations having been received from Winnipeg to compete in the lacrosse tournament on Labor Day, the Chinooks, holders of the Mann Cup, will commence this evening to prepare for the trip. Edmonton games will be played with Edmonton, Letbridge and Medicine Hat.

CANADIAN IS WINNER FROM SEATTLE NET STAR

Seattle, Aug. 16.—Playing a whirlwind game at the net and showing almost equal skill in driving and placing, L. K. Verley, of Winnipeg, won the state tennis singles championship here to-day from Mansel-Smith, Seattle, former champion, 8-6, 7-5, 4-6, 6-3.



ROTARIANS TO BE INVITED TO SIDNEY

Arrangements in Hand; Hangar May Be Erected in Town

Arrangements are in hand for the Sidney Board of Trade to extend an invitation to the Victoria Rotary Club for a banquet in the near future.

It is intended to have the Victorians arrive during the afternoon in time to visit Sidney's several important industries, the visitors being piloted through the plants of the Sidney Mills, Limited, Sidney Rubber Roofing Company, Spanish Canning Company, by a committee of the Board of Trade. The attention of the visitors will also be called to Sidney's many advantages as an industrial center.

The Board has expressed itself as unanimously in favor of the project, and an arrangements committee has been appointed consisting of W. H. Lavery, F. Bowcott, P. N. Tester and J. J. White.

ST. MARKS PICNIC AT WILLOWS BEACH

Party of 200 Spent Enjoyable Time Saturday Afternoon

What was generally voted the most successful picnic ever held in connection with St. Mark's Church took place Saturday, when a party of 200, composed of Sunday School children and members of the congregation, enjoyed the day at the Willows Beach. Two special cars were chartered, one leaving from the Burnside terminus and one from the Cloverdale terminus to suit the convenience of the members living in different parts of the parish. Each car loaded with picnickers in the real holiday spirit left at 2 o'clock, meeting at Douglas Street and taking the jolly party direct to the beach.

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Healthy teeth need healthy gums to hug them. Else they will loosen in Pyorrhea. Tiny openings will come in the gums to act as the gateways of disease germs, which infect the joints or tonsils, or cause other ailments. Forhan's prevents Pyorrhea, if used in time and used consistently. No mere toothpaste does. Are your gums tender, gums? Are they bleeding gums? If so, you are certain to have Pyorrhea (Riggs' Disease). Four out of five people who are over forty have it. To you we earnestly recommend Forhan's. It preserves the gums which hold the teeth secure. Brush your teeth with it. Forhan's cleans the teeth scientifically—keeps them white and clean.

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Woven from the best yarn in the popular filet weave. Shown in handsome bird design in a rich panel effect; neat conventional and the plain filet net. Shades of ivory and ecru. Come and look over these handsome styles before you decide on your new curtains; full 47 inches wide. Price, yard \$1.50

45 Inch Fine Scranton Filet Nets, Yard \$1.25

Fine Scranton Filet Curtain Nets, woven in a handsome bird design on a nice fine even thread square mesh net. With the use of some of our fine edgings this will make a very handsome curtain, full 45 inches wide, in ivory and ecru shades. Price, per yard \$1.25

Heavy Scranton Filet Curtain Net, Yard 49¢

36-Inch Heavy Scranton Filet Curtain Net in a splendid selection of neat conventional designs on an extra heavy square mesh net, shown in shades of white, ivory and ecru; full 36 inches wide. Special value, yard.....49¢ Same style with double fine lace edge. Special, yard.....59¢

Plain and Figured Scranton Filet Nets Yard 85¢

Fine Quality Scranton Filet Nets—Shown in a plain, fine square mesh net; also in neat conventional and handsome bird designs in shades of white, ivory and ecru. Styles suitable for any of your Best Rooms. Price, yard85¢

45 Inch Heavy Plain Scranton Filet Net Yard 69¢

Heavy Plain Scranton Filet Net, made from extra heavy cable yarn; a net that will give everlasting wear; a square filet, perfectly plain design; very rich appearance; full 45 inches wide. Special value, yard69¢

45 Inch Fine Filet Curtain Nets Yard 75¢

Fine Quality Filet Curtain Nets—Shown in neat squares, spots, blocks on a square mesh net ground. A very special value, worth at least one-third more, in shades of white, ivory and ecru. Special value, per yard75¢

40 Inch Heavy Filet Marquisette Yard 75¢

Extra Heavy Scranton Filet Marquisette; made from extra heavy two-thread yarn and a nice, clear, open filet weave, suitable for use with heavy lace and insertion; shades of ivory and ecru. Special value, per yard75¢

40 Inch Fine Filet Marquisette Yard 50¢

This is a new weave, just a little different from the plain marquisettes. A nice, fine, even thread; mercerized finish, full 40 inches wide, in shades of white, ivory and ecru. Special value, per yard50¢

45 Inch Fine Filet Curtain Net \$1.19

Very Fine Mesh Filet Net, in cream shade only, in a variety of neat conventional designs. These will make up dainty curtains for drawing room, dining room or bedroom use; full 45 inches wide and worth \$1.50 yard. Special value, yard.....\$1.19

Smart Styles in Ivory Habutai Silk Waists

Ivory Habutai Silk Waists, of medium weight silk; made with convertible collar and well finished in tailored style; sizes 34 to 44. A splendid value at\$3.50
Attractive Waists of heavy quality silk, with high and novelty collars, neat buttoned cuffs, trimmed with tucks or plain fronts; sizes 34 to 46. Price\$6.75
Pretty Models in semi-tailored styles, with tucked fronts, novelty collars and cuffs, finished with large pearl buttons; sizes 34 to 44. Priced at\$7.50

22-Inch Colored Velveteen, \$1.50 Yard

A rich, heavy pile and lustrous finish velveteen, in reliable quality and fast colors. Ideal for middie and separate skirts. Colors: sage, grey, brown, rose, purple, crimson, black and medium and dark navy.

36-Inch Black Chiffon Taffeta, \$2.75 Yard

This silk will give satisfactory wear for dresses, etc. A good dye and perfect black. Reasonably priced at \$2.75 a yard.

Baldwin's Fine Knitting Wools

Baldwin's Four-ply Scotch Fingering, in black, green heather mixture, fast navy and black and red mottle; 1-oz. skein 25¢, or per lb. \$4.00
Baldwin's Capstan Soft Knitting Wool, in white, steel grey and brown heather mixture; 1-oz. skein 30¢, or per lb.\$4.30

Splendid Qualities in Fall Underwear

Women's Heavy Cotton Union Suits for Fall wear; made with Dutch neck, half sleeves and ankle length; sizes 36 and 38. Price\$2.75
Women's Cotton and Wool Vests, in a light, fine weave; long, short or no sleeve styles; sizes 36, 38 and 40. Price.....\$1.95
Women's Cotton Woven Corset Covers, with high neck and long sleeves; sizes 36, 38 and 40. Price85¢

READY FOR RUGBY.

Calgary, Alta., Aug. 17.—The Canucks, Rugby team, provincial champions who will again go after the Ross Cup, start training this week.

LONELY LEWIS

The excitement afforded to Lloyd's signalman at the Butt of Lewis by the news, picked up from a passing vessel, of Mr. Hawker's safety, must have been very welcome, as his life is a singularly dull and monotonous one.

The Butt of Lewis, the northern point of the Hebrides, lies out of the track of all shipping except vessels bound from Scandinavian ports to the United States or the reverse, and ships from North British ports such as Leith and Dundee which have taken what seamen call the "north about" route instead of passing through the English Channel.

The signalman logs thirty or forty vessels a year—an average of one every ten days, as against one every ten minutes at Dover.—TH-Bits.

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